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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

House Warming WEEK —AT— Katz & Polvgt's,

No. 9 North Front St.

Johnny: Mamma, are you going to Katz & Polvgt's to-day?

Mamma: To be sure, my boy, this is their house warming week.

Johnny: Please take me with you, mamma, they are going to have music.

EVERYBODY SHOULD CALL THIS WEEK AND SEE THE LATE ARRIVALS IN

Fall and Winter Goods.

MUSIC

From 10 a. m. to 1 p. m. and 3 to 6 p. m.

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LEADING

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100 small size CHEESE.
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Lowest possible prices at

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BUNTING'S PHARMACY will be open all day this Sunday, October 6th, 1895.

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Port Almanac—October 6.

Sun Rises	5.58 A M
Sun Sets	5.89 P M
Day's Length	11 h 58 m
High Water at Southport	7.56 A M
High Water at Wilmington	9.48 A M

The Weather.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., Oct. 6

Meteorological data for yesterday:

Temperature: 8 a. m., 57°; 8 p. m., 62°; maximum, 64°; minimum, 54°; mean 66°.

Rainfall for the day .00; rainfall for the month up to date, 0.00

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

For North Carolina and South Carolina, fair; north winds.

OUTLINES

Southern Railway will gain control of the Georgia Central system. —— Horrible crime and its fearful punishment; the lynching of a negro ravisher. —— Weekly statement of associated banks. —— Chicago grain and provision market. —— Washington news—Treasury gold reserve; battleship Texas; advices from Constantinople. —— New York spots and futures market. —— Negro lynched for brutal assault on a white woman. —— Late foreign news—Trouble between Great Britain and China; British warships still in Chinese waters; England determined to expand her trade and other interests in China; a corner in beat sugar. —— Base ball—Cleveland beats Baltimore in the third game of the Temple Cup series. —— Railroad collision—An engineer killed and a postal clerk badly injured. —— Episcopal convention—Appointments announced; report of committee on new dioceses. —— To fight Tammany—A committee appointed by the New York Chamber of Commerce for fall campaign. —— New York markets: Money on call at 1½@2 per cent.; cotton easy—middling gulf 9⅝c; middling 9½c; Southern flour dull and steady—common to fair extra $3.10@2.80; good to choice $2.90@3.80; wheat—spot dull and steady—No. 2 red in store and at elevator 65@66½c; afloat 66⅝c; corn—spot steady and quiet; No. 2 at elevator 37c; afloat 38c; spirits turpentine quiet and steady at 38@28½c; rosin dull—strained common to good $1.47½@1.52½.

The New York *Herald* remarks that "this is an era of small profits." With a good many of us it is an era of no profits at all.

Bourke Cochran is quoted as saying that Richard Croker can't write But it seems that he knew how to make his mark in Gotham.

Senator Quay, of Pennsylvania, celebrated his sixty-second birthday a few days ago. Notwithstanding his increasing years his vigor as a combine slugger is unimpaired.

Scientist Tindall didn't seem to have a very colossal opinion of comets when he declared that he could pack one of them into a one-horse cart. But where in the mischief would he pack the tail?

Minnesota has just completed a five-year census and finds that the population of the pine forest region has increased 50 per cent. within that time and the population of the agricultural section in the Western part of the State 25 per cent.

The Patrons of Husbandry propose to establish a great manufactory of agricultural implements at Springfield, Ill., which is to be started up next Spring. The company is composed of members of lodges in twenty-two States.

If that Yale foot ball man who has gone to China as missionary gets an open field and a fair show he will convert the heathen or flatten him out. Muscular Christianity is needed in that country, supplemented at times with more or less powder and shot.

The young man who was arrested in Lancaster, Pa., for hugging and kissing women on the street pleaded in extenuation that he was subject to periodical hugging and kissing fits, and couldn't help it. Then the Justice gave him fits and wound up sending him to jail, where when the old fits come he could perform on the jailor.

Kaiser Wilhelm does not propose to have his way of running things on land or sea criticized even in the family. He has recently practically banished his brother Henry for criticizing his way of running the navy. William seems to have a pretty well developed case of the big head. Men of that kind are in danger of losing their heads.

Smiles are sometimes fascinating and sometimes costly. This was probably the conclusion of the young man in Atlanta who was arrested the other day and fined $25 for familiarly addressing a young lady on the street, without the preliminary of an introduction, under the delusive impression that she smiled at him in a store. He will probably be more particular hereafter in translating Atlanta feminine smiles.

A State Senator from Lancaster, Pa., has set the ball rolling against Senator Cameron. It now remains to be seen whether Cameron is as good on the combine knockout as Senator Quay is.

The fellows who cornered the lemon market in New York, squeezed the squeezers and made them pay $10.25 a box for them, the highest price since 1883, when they sold for $6 a box.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

B. F. KEITH—Barrels.
JAS. D. NUTT—Bulbs.
BUNTING—Open all day.
CLYDE LINE—Sailing days.
MERCER & EVANS—Shoes.
SAM'L BEAR, SR—Mullets.
D. L. GORE—Seed rust oats.
G.R. FRENCH & SON—Shoes.
W. B. COOPER—Cream cheese.
OPERA HOUSE—As You Like It.
JOHNSON & FORE—Grand opening.
A. DAVID & Co.—Clothing at retail.
BRADDY & GAYLORD—You can find.
C. E. GORDON—When autumn comes.
KATZ & POLVOGT—House warming.
J. L. BOATWRIGHT Co—Fine groceries.
A. D. BROWN—Rushed with business.
SEACOAST ROAD—Schedule change.
J.H.REHDER & Co.—Largest variety store.
DOZIER & LEE—A war is imminent in the South.

NEW BUSINESS LOCALS.

GUIDE to Speculation.
P. H. HAYDEN—Harness, buggies.
MISS MAGGIE HALL—Primary school

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Pertinent Paragraphs Pertaining Principally to People and Pointedly Printed.

— Mr. W. H. Gilbert has returned to the city.

— Mr. H. Witcover will leave today for Laurinburg.

— Mr. Jas. E. Willson is sick and confined to his home.

— Mr. J. H. Litjen has accepted a position at the Purcell.

— Mr. T. J. Takada, of Tokio, Japan, arrived in the city last night.

— Mrs. R. S. Newton, of Southport, is in the city visiting Mr. Dosher, her father.

— Mr. Geo. W. Chesnutt was out yesterday, to the delight of his many friends.

Mr. Harry Webb, of Washington, N. C., formerly of this city, is here on business.

— Mr. J. H. Boatwright, of the S. A. L. treasurer's office at Portsmouth, Va., is here on a visit to relatives.

—Mr. W. B. Stevens will leave tomorrow for Newbern, to spend the Winter, buying cotton for Messrs. J. H. Sloan & Co.

— Charlotte *News*: Mrs. S. L. Dosher expects to spend several months in Wilmington and Southport. She will leave for these points shortly.

— Miss Amy B. Merritt, who has been detained on account of sickness, will leave this morning for Greensboro, to attend the Normal and Industrial College.

— Messrs. H. G. Bauman, S. H. Lemon and Chas. W. Petty, three of Buffalo Bill's advance guard, arrived here last night and registered at the Purcell.

— Miss Lidie B. Whitney has accepted a position as saleslady in the millinery department of Johnson & Fore. She has been in this business for several years,

— Maj. W. A. Johnson, of Johnson & Fore, has returned from a business trip to New York, where he went to make additional purchases for the Fall and Winter trade.

— Mr. G. Z. French has returned from Raleigh, where he has been working in the interest of Judge D. L. Russell, and expects him to receive the Gubernatorial nomination.

— The Hon. Risden Tyler Bennett, the bald eagle of the Pee Dee, has been in the city several days, and has been most cordially welcomed by his numerous friends. Tyler is a genius.

— Messrs. C. T. Bennett, Southport; E. Porter, Rocky Point; W. G. Burkhead, W. G. Lewis, Whiteville; A. Galloway, Goldsboro; Gaston Meares, Asheville, were among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

— Ex-Judge Connor, who has been here nearly a week, attending Court, is a native of Wilmington, and is always a welcome visitor. He is one of the best equipped lawyers in the State, and a most affable and courtly gentleman. He is an ornament to his profession.

— Rev. Dr. Mendelsohn left last night for Maxton on professional business. He goes thence to Lydia, Darlington county, S. C., to unite Miss Gertrude Marco and Mr. Lee Rosenthal, of Florence, in the bonds of matrimony, Tuesday evening. Miss Gertrude Marco is the belle of Darlington county.

Mr. I. Shrier, the "reliable clothier," is too busy to spare time to write advertisements, but will try and accommodate old customers who should drop into his first-class gents' and boys' furnishing store, corner Front and Princess streets, Davis & Zoeller's old stand. †

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted.

— "Cuba Libre."

— For other new advertisements see fourth page.

— Bunting's Pharmacy will be open all day to-day.

— Local forecast for to-day: Fair; fresh northerly winds.

— No report as to the condition of the river at Fayetteville.

— Bison William and his "rough riders" will be out for the dust to-morrow.

— Register Haar issued six licenses to marry, five of which were for white couples.

— There were three interments the past week in Oakdale cemetery, and one in Bellevue.

— This is the feeling of nearly everybody here in regard to the good ship *Commodore*: "Let 'er go Gallagher!"

— Our Raleigh letter will be found very interesting this morning, especially that part referring to the steamer *Commodore*.

— The Wild West show is expected to arrive here to-day at 2 p. m. The street parade to-morrow will start at 10 a. m.

— You read the STAR occasionally, no doubt. Why not take it regularly. To city subscribers it is only 12 cents per week.

— The STAR has received from Heinsberger's book store a copy of Capt S. A. Ashe's new book, "Familiar Chats on Free Coinage."

— The schooner *Roger Moore* cleared yesterday for Barbadoes, W. I., with a cargo of 245,000 feet of lumber, value $3,505, shipped by Edward Kidder's Son.

— The thirty-third annual Fair of the Cumberland County Agricultural Society will be held at Fayetteville November 6th, 7th and 8th. The purses for the races amount to $1,000.

— A movement is on foot to have a mass meeting here one night this week to pass resolutions urging Representatives and Senators in Congress to do all in their power to secure belligerent rights for Cuba.

— On and after October 10th trains will leave Ocean View at 7.30 a. m. and 5 p. m. Leave Wilmington at 9.30 and 6 p. m. Sundays, leave Ocean View at 10 a. m. and 5 p. m., and Wilmington 9.30 and 6 p. m.

— As United States District Attorney Aycock and United States Marshal Carroll will arrive here to-night, we will doubtless know to-morrow what action will be taken in regard to the steamer *Commodore* and her cargo.

— The school boys want to know if Prof. Noble will turn them loose in time to see the parade of the Wild West show to-morrow forenoon. Of course he will. Not to see the parade would be to miss the one opportunity of a life time.

— The sketch of the Twentieth North Carolina Regiment by Gen. T. F. Toon is concluded in the STAR to-day. Many of the companies composing that fine regiment were from this section, and very many of the survivors are subscribers to the STAR. They will enjoy the sketch.

How Corbett Looks.

A New Orleans telegram says: "Corbett and party were driven to the hotel. He will give a performance at the St. Charles Theatre to-night and leave for Texas to-morrow morning. It is the general opinion among local sports that Corbett is not the same man as of old. His face is very much pinched and there is a dull look about his eyes."

Cape Fear River Boats.

A telegram yesterday to Mr. Madden, agent here for the steamer *A. P. Hurt*, reported that she left Fayetteville Friday at 5 p. m., with flat in tow carrying 150 bales cotton.

The steamer *Frank Sessoms*, from Willis' Creek for Wilmington, passed Elizabethtown Friday at 11 p. m.

A Large Cargo.

The British steamship *Jeanara*, Captain McLauchlan, was cleared yesterday afternoon for Bremen, Germany, with a cargo of cotton—11,125 bales—shipped by Messrs. Alex Sprunt & Son. The cargo is beyond doubt a very large and valuable one. The *Jeanara's* registered net tonnage is 2,179, and her freight of 11,125 bales weighed 5,599,227 pounds, and is valued at $504,000.

Odds on Corbett.

Riley Grannan, who has lately become famous as the greatest plunger in the worlds of sports—at least on this side of the ocean—is backing Fitzsimmons. In New York the other day Grannan laid $18,000 on the Kangaroo, obtaining odds of 5 to 3, Should Fitzsimmons win, Grannan will be the richer by something like $30,000.

Cotton Notes.

Receipts here yesterday, 1,998 bales; same day last year, 2,899.

Spot cotton easy in New York at 9¼c for middling; firm in Wilmington at 8¾c. Quotations here same day last year, 5 13-16c.

Net receipts yesterday at the ports, 35,361 bales; same day last year, 51,500.

Housekeepers who want servants are in the habit of supplying their needs from the STAR's want column. Are you looking for a situation? The STAR's want column will bring you the best results. One cent a word. But no ad. taken for less than 20 cents. tf

If there is anything you want, advertise for it. Is there anything you don't want? Advertise it in the Business Locals of the STAR. One cent a word. But no ad. taken for ess than 20 cents. tf

SUPERIOR COURT.

Verdict For the Plaintiff in the Case of Mary Williams et al. vs. Leo. Haid—An Appeal Taken—Other Cases—Final Adjournment.

The trial of the case of Mary Williams et al. vs. Leo. Haid was concluded yesterday in the Superior Court, the jury finding a verdict for the plaintiffs. The issues submitted to the jury and the answers were:

1. Are the plaintiffs the heirs at law of Laurence Brown? Answer—Yes.
2. Are the plaintiffs the only heirs at law of Laurence Brown? Answer—Yes.
3. At the time of the execution of the deed to the defendant was Laurence Brown of sound mind and disposing memory? Answer—No.
4. Was the said deed obtained by undue influence exercised by the defendant Leo. Haid, Daniel O'Connor, Rev. Father Dennen, or any laymen of the Catholic Church, or any of them? Answer ——.

After the verdict was received, ex-Judge Connor of counsel for defendant made motion to set the verdict aside on the ground that it was against the weight of evidence on the third issue. The Court denied the motion, and then counsel asked for a new trial. This was overruled and an appeal to the Supreme Court was then craved and granted.

This case has excited considerable interest in the community and its trial has occupied the time of the Court for nearly the entire week. The plaintiffs in the case are non-residents; nieces and nephews of the late Laurence Brown, a boot and shoe dealer here, who died a few years ago, leaving an estate estimated at $19,000, which he conveyed by deed to the defendant, Rev. Leo Haid, for the Roman Catholic Church. The case has been ably conducted on both sides, and the great interest felt by the public was manifested by the large attendance of spectators throughout the prolonged hearing. Messrs. Thomas W. Strange, George Rountree and C. P. Lockey were the counsel for the plaintiffs, and ex-Judge Connor and Messrs. M. Bellamy & Son for the defendants.

Court adjourned for the term last evening. Among the cases disposed of were the following.

K. J. Braddy vs. Carolina Beach Company, leave granted to file answer at this term.

S. McD. Tate, State Treasurer, et al, vs. Bank of New Hanover, et al. The receiver filed his report of receipts and disbursements and the Court issued an order confirming the same.

Carolina Inter-State Building and Loan Association vs. John C. Stout, et al. Stricken from the docket.

Nancy Nixon vs. Wilmington Savings and Trust Company, decree.

Junius Davis, receiver Bank of New Hanover vs. A. B. Cook, et al., order of resale.

Elsie Brice, et al. vs. Silvia Jones, et al., non suit.

D. O'Connor vs. trustees Bladen Street M. E. Church South. Continued.

Standard Oil Co. vs. Harding Johnson, alias summons.

DeHaven Co. (limited) vs. Alderman & Flanner, alias summons.

Hansen & Smith vs. Argyle Lumber Company. Judgment for plaintiffs.

Eliza Moore vs. Thomas A. Moore, alias summons.

Junius Davis, receiver, vs. William L. Smith and wife, judgment.

Junius Davis, receiver, vs. I. Bates and wife, judgment.

Junius Davis, receiver, vs. G. W. Williams et al., leave granted to make additional parties defendants.

Joanna Mahn vs. Adolphus Doscher and wife, judgment.

John D. Taylor, receiver, vs. Laura and Henry Tucker, judgment.

B. F. Keith, Jr., vs. J. M. King, Jr., judgment.

J. L. Wescott vs. W. B. McKoy, order.

J. L. Wescott vs. W. B. McKoy, R. H. McKoy, et al., order.

Henrietta Morrison vs. U. S. Branch London Assurance Corporation, judgment.

Armstrong, Cator & Co. vs. Davis & Zoeller, judgment.

Elise Brice et al. vs. Daniel Howard et al., non suit.

Junius Davis, receiver, vs. C. B. Southerland, judgment.

Sharpless Bros. vs. Davis & Zoeller, judgment.

John D. Bellamy, Jr., vs. Emanuel Haggett et al., remanded to clerk.

Rothwell et al. vs. Jewett et al., dismissed.

Davis, receiver, vs. W. C. Miller, non suit.

Wescott vs. W. C. McKoy, continued under former order.

Ricaud, receiver, vs. H. B. Walker non suit.

Fidelity & Casualty Co. vs. B. F. Lee, sixty days to file answer.

N. Frank & Co. vs. Powell & Co. judgment for plaintiff.

Capt. Ashe's Book.

As heretofore announced in the STAR Capt. Sam. Ashe has issued a book entitled "Familiar Chats on Free Coinage." Its title indicates its scope and object, and it possesses real interest. Apart from this, Capt. Ashe is an old Wilmingtonian, and the STAR trusts that our people will show their appreciation of him by giving his book a substantial welcome. Several hundred copies should find purchasers here. Price 25 cents. For sale by C. W. Yates & Co. and Heinsberger.

One Cent a Word.

Hereafter advertisements to go in our "Business Locals" department will be charged one cent per word for each insertion; but no advertisement, however short, will be taken for less than 20 cents.

This is a reduction from former rates and it is also a convenience to advertisers, who can calculate the exact cost of their advertisements, which must be paid for always in advance.

Encyclopædia Britannica.

The STAR Britannica Department is still filling orders for the Encyclopædia Britannica. This is the latest and best edition of this great work. Issued in 25 volumes, bound in cloth or sheep. For full particulars read announcement on third page, or inquire at the STAR office.

Sixth Annual Fair.

The Sixth Annual Fair of the Border Exposition of the Carolinas will be held at Maxton, N. C., Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Oct. 30th and 31st and Nov. 1st. Send for Premium List.

W. B. HARKER,
Secretary and Treasurer.
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BUFFALO BILL'S WILD WEST.

Washington, D. C., Post.

Buffalo Bill's Wild West may have had a larger attendance than greeted it on its appearance in Washington yesterday, although there could not have been very many more people packed into the big amphitheatre, but it certainly never showed in a city where those was a larger percentage of Col Cody's personal friends in the gathering. Half the retired Army officers in town were there, the War Department seemed to have taken a day off, and as far as Fort Myer was concerned, there was none of the line left there except the officer of the day and one other commissioned officer, while pretty nearly a full troop of the enlisted men were on hand, leaves having been granted to about forty men by Col. Gordon, as a sort of reward of merit. The Sixth Cavalry and the Wild West are old acquaintances it being a detail of the Sixth that was with the show while it was in Chicago, and Sergt. Pogue, who is now at the fort, having led the United States Cavalry during the performance at the World's Fair. The sergeant was in evidence yesterday, and every time the American detachment charged down to the western end of the amphitheater every Army officer and enlisted man in the place took off his hat and cheered them like schoolboys.

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Among those who were at the grounds for the initial performance were the Chinese and Japanese ministers and suite, the Nicaraguan minister and party; the Spanish minister, attaches of the German, French and Mexican legations, Assistant Attorney General Judson, Secretary Lamont, Paymaster General Stanton, Adjt. Gen. Ruggles, Q. M. Gen. Bachelor, Gen. D. H. Stanley, Gen. Card, Gen. Van Vleit, Col. D. H. Gordon, Col. H. C. Corbin, Col F. C. Ainsworth, Col. C. B. Schofield Col. T. H. Bliss, Maj. J. C. Muhlenbery, Maj. Charles Porter, Maj. T. C. Lebo, Capt. Craig, Capt. Kendall, Capt. Bloxom, Lieut. Short, Dr. Mernis of Fort Myer, Maj. Babcock, Maj. Gilmore, Maj. W. P. Hall, Gen. A. W. Greeley, Capt. Allison Nailor, and a large number of society people.

"As You Like It."

That talented little actress and Wilmington favorite, Effie Ellsler, and her own excellent company of talented players will, after several seasons of absence, be seen at the Opera House on next Wednesday evening in a charming revival of Shakespeare's beautiful pastoral comedy "As You Like It." Miss Ellsler in one of the great dramatists' most beautiful characters, that of *Rosalind*.

The production will be handsomely mounted and costumed. The costuming of the entire cast being especially designed, and the magnificent gowns worn by Miss Ellsler were designed by Hermann, the costumer of New York.

That veteran of thespians and old Wilmington favorite John A. Ellsler, will be seen in the charming portrayal of *Adam*.

The box sheet will open at Yates' Tuesday morning, the 8th inst.

Foot Ball.

The boys were out last night and though the practice consisted chiefly of preliminary work, yet there was considerable accomplished. The team is now trying to get itself in ship-shape so as to be prepared to meet all comers. They trust to have twenty-two men on the green next Wednesday night, and the captain says he will be pleased to have all come up who desire to play. It is their desire this year to put forth a team that will do credit to the "City by the Sea," and to recover the laurels lost last year. The team is yet in a crude state, and the best man gets the position every time.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington & Weldon R. R.—185 bales cotton.

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R R.—1,408 bales cotton, 9 casks spirits turpentine, 717 bbls rosin, 39 bbls tar, 20 bbls crude turpentine.

Carolina Central R. R.—104 bales cotton, 34 casks spirits turpentine, 175 bbls rosin, 41 bbls tar, 7 bbls crude turpentine.

Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R. R.—351 bales cotton, 91 casks spirits turpentine, 345 bbls rosin, 43 bbls. tar.

Steamer Daggett—8 casks spirits turpentine, 345 bbls rosin, 33 bbls tar, 36 bbls crude turpentine.

Total receipts—Cotton, 1,998 bales; spirits turpentine, 142 casks; rosin, 1,355 bbls; tar, 150 bbls; crude turpentine, 63 bbls.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

St. James', Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity. 11 a m, Litany, Holy Communion service; 5 p m, Evening Prayer. The Sunday school at 4 p m will begin its work for the Winter and Spring, and the Rector hopes to see all the old officers, teachers and all its old and new scholars.

St. Paul's Church, Fourth and Orange streets, Rev T N Skinner, rector. Services to-day, seventeenth Sunday after Trinity. at 11 a m and 8 p m. Sunday school at 4 p m. Service Wednesday at 5 p m. All seats free.

Services in St John's Church to-day at 7:45 and 11 a m. Sunday school at 5 p m.

COLORED CHURCHES.

Mount Zion A M E Church, L B Sims, pastor. Preaching to-day at 10:30 a m. Subject: "Reconciliation;" 8 p m, subject: "Truth;" at 8:15 p m, subject: "The Soul in Bondage." This is rally day with us, so please come prepared to help us. Seats free and all are welcome. Sunday school at 2 p m.

St John's Baptist Church, corner Tenth and Dawson streets, Rev S King, pastor. Services at 11 a m, 8 p m and 8 p m. Strangers and visitors welcome.

Schools Open To-morrow.

All the public schools (white and colored) will open to-morrow (Monday) at 9 o'clock for the Fall and Winter session. The scholars are expected to be on hand promptly, to meet Prof. Noble, the superintendent, and their teachers.

Mr. John M. Wright & Co. have the first lady and gent pneumatic tandem bicycle which was ever in Wilmington, which was out last night on Market street on exhibition. It is especially for learners. †

COTTON CROP OUTLOOK.

Reduction of the Condition Looked for in the Department Report—Estimates as to the Probable Yield—Prices, Etc.

NEW YORK, October 5.—The trade expects that the report of the Department of Agriculture, which will be published on the 10th of October, will show a sharp decrease in the condition of the crop during the month of September and many are estimating that the report will show a reduction of ten points as compared with the report of September the 10th. This idea is based upon the universally poor accounts received from the cotton belt, through private sources, and they furnish the basis for the active speculation which has advanced prices to the highest quotations recorded for the present crop. It is believed that Mr. Henry Neill will continue to reduce his crop estimate to agree with private advices, and it is already intimated that his next estimate will point towards 6,750,000 bales as the probable yield of this season's planting.

Spinners follow the advance slowly but they are not a factor in the market at the moment, as they are believed to be entirely at the mercy of the planter and speculator this season, and they will therefore be compelled to pay a further advance for their raw material before they have secured their requirements. Impressed with these ideas the market is advancing under continued buying and the only supply seems to come from those who are willing to accept their profits upon previous purchases. So active is this demand that many commission houses, believing that spinners will be compelled to follow, are advising further purchase strongly, notwithstanding an advance of nearly four cents a pound since last Spring. The situation therefore presents the strongest appearance it has shown at any time since the advance began and those who entertained radically bearish views in July are now advising purchases of cotton believing that there can be no danger in following the market upwards as long as this speculative feeling continues.

On the other hand there are a few who foresaw the advance and profited by it, and are now looking askance at the market, asking themselves whether present prices have not discounted a reduction in the yield to 7,300,000 bales, and whether the movement of such a crop to market will not prevent any material advance from present prices. The popular answer to such a query is no, the volume of speculation is so large that no matter whether the market has advanced four cents a pound or not, it will be carried still higher and therefore we had better get aboard of the train while it is in motion. The unpopular answer is, that if the Southern planter could be assured of present prices for the next three years he would be only too happy to contract to deliver his prospective crops, and therefore it is not a commercial proposition to follow the advance further, though as a speculative proposition it may prove correct.

The receipts of cotton in Bombay, even at the end of the season, are increasing. Last week the movement was 11,000 bales, against 3,000 last year; this week they were 10,000 bales, against 2,000 last season. What the actual increase in the movement from India will be this season no one can estimate, as the trade has long since realized that the size of the India crop is usually governed by the price paid for the crop of this country.

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BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, OCT. 6, 1895

THE GOLD CRAZE.

The gold monometalists tell us that the "silver craze' is subsiding. There may not be quite as much talk about silver now as there was some time ago, because the condition of the country, from a business standpoint, is improving, and this would materially tend to decrease the financial agitation, whether it was based on silver or any other kind of money. But because people do not continue to make the welkin ring, it does not necessarily follow that they have lost interest in silver, although the "craze," as the gold monometalists call it, may have somewhat subsided. The sentiment for silver is as strong in this country to day as it was six months, or twelve months ago, and if the question of free coinage pure and simple were submitted to a vote of the people without another word being said about it, without any speech making or effort to influence their judgment or action one way or the other, it would carry by an overwhelming majority.

Some time ago Hon. W. D. Bynum, of Indiana, who was put upon the stump in that State to carry on a campaign of education as a "sound money" professor, wrote the New York *Herald* that while the free silver agitation had subsided in the cities and towns, in the rural districts and among the farmers the sentiment for free silver was very strong, although they were not saying so much about it. This statement would probably cover the situation in the country generally, but especially in the West and the South, where the demand for free coinage was the strongest and most outspoken. It is easy to account for the fact, as stated by Mr. Bynum, that the agitation had somewhat subsided in the cities and towns, which led to the belief that the "craze" was subsiding, while the silver sentiment still continued strong in the country. In the cities and towns many industries have revived, and new industries have been started, giving employment to many of the idle, to most of them, which resulted in putting more money into circulation and in a pretty general improvement in the condition of the wage-earners in the towns and cities. With their improved condition, with more money in their pockets to buy the necessaries and comforts of life for themselves and their families they are naturally less concerned about the financial question and have less to say about it. In so far the silver "craze" may have subsided, but these people believe as much in silver as they ever did.

But if the silver "craze" has subsided the gold craze is developing pretty rapidly. In convention recently the Democrats of the State of Massachusetts took a long and bold stride in advance of all the conventions of either party that have been held so far this year, and proclaimed for the gold standard straight out. From a financial and political standpoint, this is simply insanity.

The Democratic national platform of 1892, declared for bimetallism and for the free coinage of silver on international agreement, and in the event of the failure of that through such legislation as would maintain the parity of our different kinds of money. There was nothing said in that platform about committing the party to the gold standard, nor about paying all Government obligations in gold, but these Massachusetts Democrats kick the platform of '92 into the old plunder room, construct a new one for themselves, declare for the gold standard and against the free coinage of silver or the purchase of any silver by the Government, which in plain English means that they don't want any more silver coined on any terms, but must have gold as the only money metal.

Thus far every Republican convention which has met has reiterated the Republican platform of 1892, which favored bimetallism, on certain conditions, and every Democratic convention which has met has reaffirmed the Democratic platform of 1862 which favored bimetallism on certain conditions, both platforms being substantially the same, but the Massachusetts Democracy struck out on a new line and as for it kicked the national platform all to pieces, and sat down as hard as it knew how on bimetallism. They don't want any silver in theirs, except as they are compelled to have it to make change.

The Massachusetts convention talks only for the Massachusetts Democracy, and in our opinion for the smaller number of them, but we would not be surprised to find conventions in other States in that section following its example in declaring for the gold standard, because Massachusetts being the richest State in that corner of the Republic is looked to as a sort of authority on money. They are in danger of catching the gold craze from Massachusetts.

But as a matter of fact these Massachusetts Democrats voiced the sentiment of no small number of the so-called "sound money" advocates, who are quite as much wedded to gold monometallism as these Massachusetts proclaimers of it are. They have been somewhat emboldered by what they believe to be the subsidence of the silver "craze" to make a little further advance on the gold line, and it will be simply a question of politics and prudence with them whether they would not, if they could control the next National Democratic Convention, raise the gold standard banner as the Masachusetts gold monometallists have done.

MINOR MENTION.

Secretary Herbert delivered his long advertised speech on the money question at Montgomery, Ala., Friday night. Judging from the synopsis of the speech given in the press dispatches it was somewhat different from the speeches delivered by some of the other missionaries of "sound money" in the fact that it was more conservative and that Mr. Herbert talked both as Democrat and a bimetallist, although he qualified his bimetallism by the intimation that the country didn't really have much use for silver and got along pretty well before 1878 with very little of it. But there are some remarkable passages in the speech, one of which we quote as follows:

"Fortunately for this country the effects of the panic of 1893 are rapidly passing away; money has begun to flow again in its accustomed channels; wheat has risen in prices; cotton has risen in prices; iron has risen in prices; industries are re-opening everywhere; wages are increasing, and all this comes from the fact that the bimetallists of this country, who are shrewd, far seeing and who watch with keen eyes the doings of every political convention, have come to the conclusion that the free silver sentiment in the United States is not strong enough and not powerful enough to force this country to a silver basis."

We have a very high regard for Secretary Herbert, but we respectfully submit that such twaddle as this does credit to neither his candor nor sense. If this be the reason why cotton and wheat have risen in price, to what will he attribute the fall in the price of corn, oats, potatoes and other products? Doesn't Secretary Herbert and every one else who has as much sense as the average man ought to have know that the advance in the price of cotton has been caused by the reported shortage in the crop, and that the advance in wheat, which has been only trifling, has been caused by the reported shortage of 270,000,000 bushels in the world's supply? The silver question had no more to do with this than it had for the unusually warm weather of last September. Nor were the revival in business, increase in wages, etc., influenced, as asserted, by the indications favoring "sound money," for the business revival began, and wages began to increase when the agitation was at its highest, and when the principal perplexity of the professional politician was how to frame his platform without antagonizing it too much. But there is just as much substance in this quotation as an argument against free silver as there is in nine-tenths of the arguments made against it, and no more.

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When wool was put on the free list the protectionists confidently predicted that it would destroy the wool-growing industry in this country because our wool-growers could not grow it and compete with other wool-growing countries. But ever since the Wilson tariff has gone into operation the prospects of the American wool-grower have been improving, the home demand constantly increasing. The sales last week in the city of Boston were the largest on record, and 500,000 pounds of the 12,000,000 sold went to England. This wool was from Montana, and furnishes some proof that the Western wool-growers can grow wool for shipment in competition with other wool-growing countries. The wool-growers of Ohio, New York and other States where they pasture sheep on $50 or $100 an acre land might not be able to do that, and it is hardly to be expected that they would. They can't grow oranges or bananas either in those States, in competition with Florida and Cuba. If the wool business continues to improve for the next twelve months as it has for the past, the protectionists will be ashamed to open their mouths when the next Congress meets.

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Mr. Murat Halstead, formerly of Cincinnati, now of Brooklyn, is in favor of making the Presidential term two years instead of four. We suppose his idea is that two years is long enough or too long for a President who doesn't fill the bill according to the popular notion, and if he does, he can be re elected. But then imagine a Presidential election every two years, with the excitement, the disarrangement in business, and the millions of dollars it costs, all of which are a pretty severe strain on the country with our quadrennial elections, which have brought many people to the belief that an election once in every six years would be the better thing. But perhaps Mr. Halstead's idea is to reduce the term one-half so as to give some of the numerous aspiring statesmen a better show to get in, without living and hoping in vain as long as John Sherman has. But if that be his idea he should propose a one year or a six months term, for that is the only thing that would fill the bill in this respect.

BOOK NOTICES.

The *Cosmopolitan* for October is very handsomely illustrated, and presents an attractive list of contents, embracing a variety of a light and solid character. Address The Cosmopolitan, Irvington, N. Y.

The North American Review for October presents a varied and interesting list of contents, covering topics of discussion and study in this and in other countries. Address The North American Review, No. 3 East Fourteenth street, New York.

The October number of *The Century Magazine* continues the "Life of Napoleon" and "Life in the Tuileries Under the Second Empire," with many other papers which the reader will find interesting and instructive, all of which are splendidly illustrated. Published by the Century Company, Union Square, New York.

The November numbers of *The Paris Album of Fashion* and *La Mode de Paris* are already out, and will be valued by the ladies, who find them such attractive and useful publications. The colored figures, of which there are nine in each number, are a special feature of these publications, in addition to which there are numerous plain figures, showing the styles of dress for the season. Published by A. McDowell & Co., No. 4 West Fourteenth street, New York.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— If the woollen mills are being "teetootally ruinated," as the McKinleyites assert they are, by the new tariff, how comes it about that these same mills have consumed about 100,000,000 pounds more wool, in the last six months, than they ever consumed in an equal period before? —*Chattanooga Times, Dem.*

—— The son of the great Lincoln takes quite kindly to the mention of his name among the Republican candidates for next President. As the tariff issue declines McKinley, Reed and Harrison decline with it in the political market, and the Republican leaders look about for more available Presidential material. Thus the shadow of a famous name looms up among the rest. The question is, will the name of Lincoln do to conjure with.—*Philadelphia Record.*

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Louisburg *Times*: We regret to announce the death of Mrs. Amanda Harris, which occurred yesterday morning at 2 o'clock.

— Monroe *Journal*: Mr. Leroy Helms, who lived some miles north of town, died yesterday morning from a complication of troubles.

— Scotland Neck *Democrat*: Mr. Walter Cherry, aged about 21 years, oldest son of Mr. W. R. Cherry, of Martin county, died near Palmyra, Sunday, September 29.

— Goldsboro *Argus*: The weather is so very dry that tobacco growers throughout the country are unable to market their crop, owing to the fact that the leaf is too dry and crisp to be handled or packed.

— Statesville *Landmark*: Reports from tobacco planters in this section are to the effect that the frost the first of the week played havoc with the tobacco in the fields, and unfortunately there was a good deal of it in the fields. Alexander county reports a loss of from 50 to 100 barns.

Charlotte *News*: While engaged in putting up a mosquito net in the sick room of Mr. Will White, last night, Bob Ramseur, a colored workman employed by E. M. Andrews, suddenly fell from a chair, dead. Heart disease was the cause of his death. He had worked all day yesterday, as usual, and had no premonition of his coming end.

—Mount Airy *News*: Mr. German Haymore, of Mount Airy, is probably the most sprightly man of his age in the State. Mr. Haymore is now in his 90th year but he gets around with about as much ease as the average man of 60. He thinks nothing of walking out to his farm, two and a half miles from town, putting in a day's work and walking home at night.

— Chatham *Record*: We regret to learn that Mr. Arthur Gough died on last Moaday from the injuries received last week in the Egypt coal mine. He was a volunteer in the "Chatham Rifles," which was the first company organized in this county for the Confederate army.

——We regret to learn that the frost has been especially damaging to the tobacco crop. A farmer in Hadley township says that fully one-third, if not one-half of the tobacco crop in his session was entirely killed. Late corn has been badly damaged.

— Monroe *Enquirer*: On last Monday morning, about 3 o'clock, a gin house belonging to Mr. G. A. Marsh, of Marshville, was burned. There was no machinery nor cotton in the building. The fire originated from a spark from a passing engine. —— We learn that forest fires have been raging along the line of the Carolina Central for the past few days. The leaves are so dry that sparks set them on fire. Hundreds of acres of timbered lands have been burned over, and a great deal of wood has been destroyed.

— Mrs. Bloozin—"Have you been to any of the Fall openings, my dear?"

Mrs. Buzbus—"Not exactly, but I tumbled into a coal hole the other day."—*Roxbury Gazette.*

THE STORY OF A LIFE.

JOHN G. SAXE.

Say, what is life? 'Tis to be born—
A helpless babe to greet the light
With a sharp wail, as if the morn
Foretold a cloudy noon and night;
To weep, to sleep and weep again,
With sunny smiles between—and then?

And then space the infant grows
To be a laughing, sprightly boy,
Happy despite his little woes
Were he but conscious of his joy;
To be, in short, from two to ten,
A merry, moody child—and then?

And then in coat and trousers clad,
To learn to say the Decalogue,
And breaking it, an unthinking lad,
With mirth and mischief all agog;
A truant oft by field or fen,
And capture butterflies—and then?

And then, increased in strength and size,
To be, anon, a youth full grown;
A hero in his mother's eyes,
A young Apollo in his own;
To imitate the ways of men
In fashionable sin—and then?

And then, at last, to be a man—
To fall in love, to woe and wed;
To gather gold or toil for bread;
To sue for fame, with tongue and pen,
And gain or lose the prize—and then?

And then, in gray and wrinkled eld,
To mourn the speed of life's decline;
To praise the scenes our youth beheld;
To dream awhile with darkened ken,
And dwell in memory of Lange Syne;
To drop into his grave—and then?

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

— We imitate only what we believe and admire.—*Willmott.*

— Ignorance is less removed from the truth than prejudice.—*Diderot.*

— Self-possession is another name for self-forgetfulness.—*L. C. Moulton.*

— It is not how much we have, but how much we enjoy that makes happiness.—*Spurgeon.*

— If the energies that men spend in evil were directed in the channel of good, what a change we would see in society.

— It is not the place nor the condition, but the mind alone that can make any one happy or miserable.—*L'Estrange.*

— A loving, sympathetic nature is like the sunshine, which brightens all it touches. Without charity we can do nothing.

— We have time enough, opportunity enough, faculty enough, for everything. One thing only we need, and that is faith in the nature God has given us, its capacities and possibilities.

— Higher than all is the life of piety which springs from faith in God and produces intellectual and physical and moral and benevolent activity. Yet it is not every form of religious life that is high enough to be called the higher life; far too many religious people need rising above selfishness and worldly living, above spiritual pride and prejudice, above obstinacy and lukewarmness.—*Central Methodist.*

TWINKLINGS

— It is the better half that doesn't know as much about how the other half lives as she would like to know.—*Spare Moments.*

— "I am very popular," said the chrysanthemum. "Nearly every man who sees me wants to buttonhole me."—*The Florist.*

— Commuter—What do you mean by saying that the house is only five minutes from the station? It's fifteen minutes if it's a second.

Auctioneer—When I said five minutes I supposed you had a bicycle.—*Syracuse Post.*

— "When I wath a little boy," lisped a very stupid masher to his young lady, "all my ideath in life were thentered on being a clown."

"Well, there is at least one case of gratified ambition," was the reply.—*Glasgow Mail.*

TRICKING A CRAB.

African Natives Take Advantage of His Industry In a Heartless Manner.

In Africa there exists a certain member of the crab genus commonly known as the great tree crab. This peculiar shellfish has an offensive trick of crawling up the cocoanut trees, biting off the cocoanuts and then creeping down again backward.

The theory is that the nuts are shattered by the fall, and the great tree crab is thus enabled to enjoy a hearty meal. Now, the natives who inhabit regions infested by this ill conditioned crab are well aware that the lower portion of the crab's anatomy is soft and sensitive, and they believe that the "bivalve" was thus constructed in order that he might know when he had reached the ground, and when, consequently, he might with safety release his grasp of the trunk.

So what they do in order to stop his depredations, which often ruin the cocoanut crops, is this: While the crab is engaged in nipping off the cocoanuts they climb half way up the trees and there drive a row of long nails right around the tree, allowing an inch or so of the nails to project.

The crab has no knowledge of disaster, nor yet the fitness of things. As he descends the sensitive part of his body suddenly touches the nails. Thinking he has reached the ground, he naturally lets go. Instantly he falls backward and cracks his own shell on the ground.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

"E Pluribus Unum."

The circumstances attending the adoption of the legend "E Pluribus Unum" as the motto of the United States have never been fully explained by the historians. It was probably used on coins—and some say upon early colonial flags—long before it was regularly recognized by the leading officials of the new republic. The oldest coin bearing the motto in full is a colonial cent coined by New Jersey in the year 1786. The same year it appeared on a small medal recognized among the collectors of coins as "the confederatio." This medal was a national token, I believe, and was coined by authority of the general government. It bore on one side 13 stars and a blazing sun, the latter surrounded by the word "Confederatio," which gives it the name by which it is known to the numismatists.

The words in the headline are undoubtedly from Virgil's "Moretus," a poem devoted to a description of a certain salad! In the rhyming recipe he gives instructions for mixing the proper herbs and pounding the same in a mortar until the various colors blend as one. Some one has very appropriately said that "the colonies were mixed in the mortar of the Revolution and came out as one homogeneous nation."—St. Louis Republic.

Short Weight.

The Salesman (holding up a vellum bound brochure)—The price of this book is $10.

Mrs. Nurich—Nonsense! You can't impose upon me in that way. Why, a minute ago you offered me a book twice the size for $1.50.—Chicago Record.

Mrs. Gannet, New England's poet, who wrote, "'Tis Love That Makes the World Go Round," is dead, but the love she wrote about is turning the old sphere.

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TURNER AND HIS GUN

DOUBLE-L ECK, THE COWBOY, AND HIS MODEST RECORD CLAIM.

How He Showed His Dislike For a Horseman Who Rode at a Trot—Finally His Spirit Was Conquered by a Mild Mannered Soldier With a Winchester.

Now and then a "bad man" tries to cultivate something which he mistakes for humor. One of these devotees of levity used to haunt the cattle range of western Kansas, and every fall and spring he appeared in Dodge City at the general "roundup." Every time he came to town he left some proof of a facetious mind, and was very sure of being talked about by every idle man and most of the busy ones who remained when the rush was over.

His name was Eck Turner, though Dodge City will best remember him by the title "Double-L Eck," the duplicated capital being Leonard & Loughrain's brand, and he being one of their best riders. In fact, Turner might have been foreman if he had cared for the position, for he could ride well, and there were few more expert with the rope and probably none who could bear fatigue and hardship more patiently than he.

But the trouble was he wanted recompense for the dull life of a cowboy. He didn't care for money. Any wages going were acceptable to him. But when the cattle got rounded up and there was half a day's escape from the tedium of labor Eck Turner wanted his fling. And he always went into town and had it.

Now, a foreman cannot do these things. He must stay by the herd all the time, preserve a clear head and firm place in the saddle. He is the representative of the owner—the custodian of much wealth—and dissipation is not to be thought of.

One of Eck Turner's pet bits of humor was to pick out people whose appearance displeased him and shoot just near enough to them to express his sentiments. He particularly disliked to see horsemen go by on the trot. It was in a cowboy country, and cowboys galloped, whether or not they were in a hurry.

And if the rider had a habit of "rising" in the stirrups, as conventional trotters often do, Eck Turner hated him violently. So that when he came down Main street one day and saw a rather well dressed man go by trotting and "rising" with the motion of his horse Eck called general attention to the spectacle.

Really the trotter was not a very good horseman. It was possible, as Eck observed, to "see daylight under him" every time he rose in the saddle. And the glimpses of that recurring "daylight" provoked Eck to a bit of pistol practice.

"I bet," said he, watching the rider and reaching for a large revolver, pretty well back on his belt, "I bet I can shoot between him and the saddle and never touch a feather."

He had been drinking in so decorous a manner as to be dangerous, and so no one interfered. The rider was half a block away when Eck fired, and the bullet must have gone true, for the rider passed on unconscious, while a sign diagonally across the street was shattered by the shot.

He tried it again later in the day and fortunately—miraculously—escaped the infliction of injury. Dodge City talked about "Double-L Eck" and his new joke all summer, and in the autumn he came in and tried it again.

The first shot he made he hit a man in the leg and was very indignant because they would not give him another chance, assuring the crippled victim it was an accident, and urging him to mount and trot past just one time more, rising no higher than he had done, and guaranteeing to put three shots out of five between him and the saddle or buy the drinks for the crowd.

But it was the uncertainty about the other two shots that interfered with negotiations—that and the trotting man's persistent endeavor to enjoy the freedom of his own pistol arm while Eck remained in his presence.

Eck thought it was funny, and that hallucination grew on him till he got into trouble. When the wave of "Texas fever" swept over Kansas in 1880, killing off so many of the Kansas cattle, a state law stopped those "drives" which had been the life of western Kansas, and Eck Turner lost his occupation. He went farther west and south and tried to shoot the top off a man's plug hat in Colorado Springs because he insisted the fashion was two inches shorter than the man was wearing.

At La Veta he took exception to the sputtering sound occasionally made by an electric lamp and went about shooting the carbons in two till the city marshal engaged in repartee and shot off the end of Eck's thumb, alleging as a sufficient reason the fact that no man with two good thumbs could be a really "bad man." Eck replied in kind, and there were no applicants for the position the marshal's demise left vacant until it was known that Eck had left that region and gone to Arizona.

At Fort Wingate he had the misfortune to shoot into an ambulance driven by a very mild mannered private soldier, who pulled up a winchester and crippled Eck for life, destroying the usefulness of both shoulders and incidentally putting out his right eye.

After that Eck Turner went to Flagstaff and developed a remarkable habit of winning at faro and taking care of his money. He confessed to a record of five men slain, but he was given credit for twice as many on account of his well known modesty, and when he finally opened a boarding house for seamen in San Francisco he permitted all the turbulent habits of his cowboy life to drift away to forgetfulness.—New York Herald.

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BAGGING—			
2-lb jute		@	5¾
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WESTERN SMOKED—			
Hams, ₩ lb	13½	@	14
Sides, ₩ lb	7½	@	7¾
Shoulders, ₩ lb	6	@	6¼
DRY SALTED—			
Sides, ₩ lb	6¾	@	6¾
Shoulders, ₩ lb	5½	@	
BARRELS— Spirits Turpentine—			
Second-hand, each		@	1 10
New New York, each	1 35	@	1 40
New City, each		@	1 40
BEESWAX, ₩ lb	26	@	27
BRICKS—			
Wilmington, ₩ M	8 50	@	7 00
Northern	9 00	@	14 00
BUTTER—			
North Carolina, ₩ lb	15		
Northern	23	@	
CORN MEAL—			
Per bushel, in sacks		@	50
Virginia Meal	53	@	55½
COTTON TIES— ₩ bundle		@	85
CANDLES— ₩ lb—			
Sperm	18	@	25
Adamantine	9	@	10
CHEESE— ₩ lb—			
Northern Factory	10	@	11
Dairy, Cream	11	@	13
State		@	10
COFFEE— ₩ lb—	27	@	28
Laguyra	20	@	23
Rio	15	@	23
DOMESTICS—			
Sheeting, 4-4, ₩ yard	5		5½
Yarns, ₩ bunch	18	@	20
EGGS— ₩ dozen	10	@	12
FISH—			
Mackerel, No. 1, ₩ barrel	22 00	@	30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, ₩ half-barrel	11 00	@	15 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ₩ barrel	16 00	@	18 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ₩ half-barrel	8 00	@	9 00
Mackerel, No. 3, ₩ barrel	12 00	@	14 00
Mullets, ₩ barrel	3 25	@	3 50
Mullets, ₩ pork barrel	6 00	@	6 50
N. C. Roe Herring ₩ keg	3 50	@	3 75
Dry Cod, ₩ lb	5	@	10
Extra	3 25	@	3 50
FLOUR— ₩ barrel—			
Low grade		@	3 00
Choice	3 75	@	3 00
Straight	3 65	@	3 75
First Patent		@	4 25
GLUE, ₩ lb	8½	@	10
GRAIN— ₩ bushel—			
Corn, from store, bags—White		@	58
Corn, cargo, in bulk—White		@	54
Corn, cargo, in bags—White		@	54
Oats, from store		@	37½
Oats, Rust Proof		@	40
Cow Peas	70	@	75
HIDES, ₩ lb—			
Green		@	6
Dry		@	8
HAY, ₩ 100 lb—			
Eastern		@	1 00
Western		@	90
North River		@	85
HOOP IRON, ₩ lb	3	@	3¼
LARD, ₩ lb			
Northern	5½	@	90
North Carolina	6½	@	10
LIME, ₩ barrel			1 25
LUMBER (city sawed) ₩ M feet—			
Ship Stuff, resawed	18 00	@	30 00
Rough-Edge Plank	15 00	@	16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00	@	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00	@	20 00
Scantling and Board, common	14 00	@	15 00
MOLASSES, ₩ gallon—			
New Crop Cuba, in hhds		@	32
" in bbls		@	36
Porto Rico, in hhds	25	@	27½
" in bbls	25	@	30
Sugar-House, in hhds	12	@	14
" in bbls		@	16
Syrup, in bbls	13	@	26
NAILS, ₩ keg, Cut, 60d basis		@	2 50
PORK, ₩ barrel—			
City	14 00	@	14 50
Rump		@	13 50
Prime		@	14 00
ROPE, ₩ lb	10	@	22
SALT, ₩ sack, Alum		@	55
Liverpool		@	65
Lisbon		@	
American		@	55
on 195 ₩ Sacks	40	@	45
SHINGLES, 7-inch, ₩ M	2 00	@	2 00
Common	2 00	@	2 00
Cypress Sap	4 50	@	5 00
Cypress Hearts		@	7 50
SUGAR, ₩ lb— Standard Gran'd	4½	@	4¾
Standard A		@	4¼
White Ex. C		@	4¼
Extra C, Golden	4	@	4¼
C, Yellow		@	3¾
SOAP, ₩ lb—Northern	3½	@	
STAVES, ₩ M—W. O. Barrel	8 00	@	14
R. O. Hogshead		@	10 00
TIMBER, ₩ M feet—Shipping	20	@	25 00
Mill, Prime	00	@	7 00
Mill, Fair	5 50	@	4 50
Common Mill	4 00	@	5 00
Inferior to Ordinary	3 00	@	3 00
TALLOW, ₩ lb	5	@	
WHISKEY, ₩ gallon—Northern	1 00	@	1 10
North Carolina	1 00	@	1 10
WOOL, ₩ lb—Washed	14	@	
Clear of burr	12½	@	
Burry		@	

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 5.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Sales at 24⅞ cents per gallon for country and 25¾ cents for machine-made casks.

ROSIN—Market firm at $1 15 per bbl for Strained, and $1 20 for Good Strained.

TAR.—Market steady at $1 80 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market quoted on 'Change steady at $1 10 for Hard, $1 60 for Yellow Dip and $1 60 for Virgin. Inspectors quote Hard, $1 20; Virgin and Yellow Dip, $1 60.

COTTON.—Market closed firm on a basis of 8¾c for Middling.

Ordinary	6¾	cts ₩ lb
Good Ordinary	7¾	" "
Low Middling	8 5-16	" "
Middling	8¾	" "
Good Middling	9 1-16	" "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton	1,998 bales
Spirits Turpentine	142 casks
Rosin	1,355 bbls
Tar	155 bbls
Crude Turpentine	63 bbls

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, October 5.—Evening—Money on call at 1¼@2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper was quoted 4½@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady; actual business in bankers' bills at 486¾@487 for sixty days and 487¼@487¾ for demand. Commercial bills 485¾@486¾. Government bonds were dull; United States coupon fours 111¼@112¼; United States twos 97 bid. State bonds lower; North Carolina fours 102 bid; North Carolina sixes 129 bid. Railroad bonds lower.

Silver at the Stock Exchange to-day sold at 67¼c for 15 ounces.

COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, October 5—Evening Cotton easy; middling gulf 9¾c; middling 9¼c.

Cotton futures closed steady; October 8 84@8 86, November 8 86@8 87, December 8 94@8 95, January 9 06, February 9 07@9 08, March 9 13, April 9 18@9 19, May 9 23@9 24, June 9 28@9 30. Sales 113,500 bales.

Cotton—net receipts — bales; gross 637 bales; exports to Great Britain —— bales; to France —— bales; to the Continent 2,795 bales; forwarded — bales; sales —— bales, sales to spinners 264 bales; stock (actual) 151,948 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 35,261 bales; exports to Great Britain 5,017 bales; to France —— bales; to the Continent 7,475 bales; stock 569,768.

Total since September 1—Net receipts 549,208 bales; exports to Great Britain 35,191 bales; exports to France 18,195 bales; exports to the Continent 59,553 bales.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Evening.—Flour was quoted dull and steady; winter wheat, low grades $2 25@2 60; fair to fancy $2 80@3 40; patents $3 50@3 75; Minnesota clear $3 75@3 95; patents $3 85@4 20; low extra $2 25@2 60; city mills $4 00@4 10; do patents $4 20@4 45. Southern dull, steady, common to fair extra $2 10@2 80; good to choice $2 90@3 80. Wheat—spot dull and steady; No. 2 red in store and at elevator 65@66¼c; afloat 66⅝c; options were dull; opened firm at ⅛c advance, declined, closing easy at unchanged prices from yesterday; No. 2 red October 64¾c; December 66½; March 59¾c; May 69¾c. Corn—spot steady and quiet; No. 2 at elevator 37c; afloat 38c; options opened unchanged and dull, closing at ¼@½c decline; October 36¾@36¾c; November 35⅝@35¾c. Oats—spot dull and and easier; options dull but steady; October 23c; December 23½; No 2 white October 24¾c; November 24¾c; December 25½c; spot prices—No. 2, 23c; No. 2 white 25c; mixed western 24@25c. Hay firm, with a good demand; spring 70c; good to choice 85@90c. Wool firm and quiet; domestic fleece 10@23c; pulled 15@34c. Beef dull, firm; family $9 00@13 00, extra mess $7 50@8 00; beef hams quiet at $15 00@15 50; tierced beef steady; city extra India mess $17 00; cut meats quiet; pickled bellies (12 pounds) 7c; shoulders 6c; hams 9@9½c; middles nominal. Lard quiet and firm; Western steam closed at $5

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The Morning Star.

Sketch of the Twentieth N. C. Regiment

BY

Brig. Gen. Thomas F. Toon.

[CONCLUDED.]

Lieut. W. H. Toon, resigned February, 1863. Maj. N. Slough, Senior Captain Jno. S. Brooks and Capt. T. F. Toon, Company K, were ordered before a board of examination, composed of Col. Christer, Lt. Col. R. D. Johnson, of the Twenty-third, and Col. T. M. Garrett, of the Fifth. Major Slough and Capt. Brooks waved their rights to promotion and requested the board to recommend Capt. T. F. Toon for Colonel of the regiment. After the examination was done, the appointment was accordingly made. When this recommendation and appointment was endorsed by the officers of the regiment, the office was accepted, for it was held that the regiment had a right to elect their own officers, notwithstanding the effort of the Brigadier General to have appointed one of his own selection. The advice and firm support of Gen. A. M. Scales and Col. Bynum as legal advisors are hereby acknowledged in behalf of the officers of the regiment, and especially by a boy Colonel, more interested to protect the rights of others than for his own promotion. This occurred in February, 1863. Camp duty, drill, picketing the Rappahannock and an occasional general inspection, varied with snow fights between companies and sometimes regiments, occupied the remaining Winter and early Spring days. On Wednesday morning, April 29th, we moved from the camp near Grace Church to Hamilton's Crossing. We remained here until Friday morning, when we began to move in the direction of Chancellorsville; had a skirmish that day; on Saturday morning relieved Gen. Ramseur's Brigade, and in doing this came near marching in column into the Yankee line, caused by thick woods. A volley of small arms and canister from a gun caused us to change our course to the left and remained in line until 10 o'clock; then followed by the Catharpin road and overtook the division about 4 p. m. We immediately formed line for that charge which made Rhodes' Division the recipient of unqualified praise from Gen. Jackson, and our regiment favorably mentioned by our Brigadier General. We here occupied the extreme left of our line on the left of and parallel to the plank road, with the 23rd N. C. deployed and marching by right flank protecting our left. J. J. Pounds, Company G, asks that this incident be mentioned. He writes: "I started when you took your cap in your hand, waving it and calling on the men to follow you, led the charge. My gun got out of order and I ran to you and reported it. You said, 'this is a bad place to be without a gun. Get another and go ahead.' Just then George Turner, of Company A, found a gun. He gave it to me and I overtook you, still in the lead." I remember the circumstance and the brave, inspiring conduct of Jesse Pounds. After the battle rested at the Little Church at the forks of the road in rear, we were relieved by Gen. A. P. Hill's troops. On the 3rd of May, about sunrise, we moved forward with the second line, and soon became engaged, owing to our front becoming uncovered. This was furious fighting, a perfect storm of shells and a mist of minnie balls. Here I saw the two Wilsons, of Company F, killed; the brother saving the watch from his brother just killed, falls on his body dead; twin born—twin death. About 9 o'clock I received the first wound, before 10 two others, and left the field and regiment in command of Lt. Col. Slough. I was there long enough to witness the cool and daring bravery of Lts. Oliver Williams, Co. H., McQueen Coleman, Co. K., Lt. E. W. Collins, Co. D., Maj. J. S. Brooks, Serg't Hawes, Corporal M. M. Harrelson, McD. Ward, Dan Coleman, George Goodman, Lt. Arch Lauton and many others. Yea, all on that battle-field deserved honorable memory and mention for they stood only where men can be found. In addition to the above named Corp'l C. A. Patterson, Co. A., Corp'l Richard Faulk, Company C; D. R. Ellis, Company B; Josiah Hudson, Company H; Newberne Tew, Company I, and Thos. A. Morris, Company K, were placed upon the roll of honor. The next movement led us to the field of Gettysburg, July 1st, 2nd and 3rd, 1863. The reports of the battle given—twenty-nine killed and ninety-three wounded in the Twentieth Regiment. Gen. Iverson reports 500 men of his brigade killed, lying in as good order as if on dress parade. Why were these men kept in that position when they could only die without being able to inflict injury on the enemy, I have been at a loss to understand. Lieut. Oliver Williams says: "I was wounded early in the fight. I believe every man who stood up was either killed or wounded." Nearly 200 of the regiment were captured, with the colors. Capt. A. H. Galloway, Forty-fifth North Carolina, recaptured the flag and a number of our men. Gen. Ewell compliments the troops, who stood till the greater part had fallen in line of battle. After Gettysburg the regiment was engaged in an affair at Hagerstown while guarding a wagon train. General Rhodes, in his report for 1863, says: "Those soldiers from Georgia, Alabama and North Carolina, who for weeks kept their ranks with swollen, bloody and bare feet, are the heroes of the campaign." Camping near Madison Court House in July and near Orange Court House in August, September and October, on the Rappahannock river, near Morton's Ford; at the latter place, October 11th, a detachment from Johnston's brigade, consisting of the Twentieth North Carolina and five companies of the Twelfth North Carolina, under Col. Coleman, the whole under command of Col. T. F. Toon, Twentieth North Carolina, had a very brilliant affair with part of Buford's Cavalry. Brigadier General Lomax arrived and took command. We repulsed the enemy and drove him back across the river. The Brigade was pleased to mention our part in the affair as worthy of honorable mention. The following names were forwarded as worthy to be placed on the roll of honor: Chas. W. Youssts, Benjamin F. Blackwelder, Company A; Paul Faggart, Jno. R. Bradford, J. A. Bradford, M. C. Cline, Company B.; Lieut. Oliver Williams, Company C.; Jno. Killet, Company E.; W. J. Cotten, Company F., William Summons and A. S. Carney, Company G.; Ransom G. Hawley, Company H.; Chas. H. Hall, Company I. November 26th in the trenches at Morton's Ford. November 27th moved out of camp, marched to Locust Grove, skirmished all day. By order from Gen. Johnston I threw out two companies to protect our left, there being a gap between our left and Gen. Edward Johnston's right. In the Mine Run affair both sides wasted a great deal of powder, but did very little execution. The remainder of the Winter was spent at Taylorsville near Hanover Junction guarding the railroad bridges over the North and South Anna river; we had quite a pleasant time at this camp, good country, hospitable people, charming young ladies, all conspired to this end. May 5th we started to the wilderness, arriving on the 6th. Supported Gen. Gordon in an attack on Gen. Grant's right; sharpley engaged for a short while. Lieut. B. Watson was killed; Gen. Seymour of the Sixth Army Corps United States of America, was captured. On the 7th marched through dust and heat from burning woods; reached Spotsylvania Court House a short time before sunset. About this time our brigade (Gen. R. D. Johnston's) was placed in Gen. Early's Division. On the 8th and 9th unimportant moves for position. On the 10th about 5 o'clock, Johnston's North Carolina Brigade with the other brigade of the division, charged to recapture the works taken from Gen. Doles by massed lines of the enemy. How we succeeded and the credit due my regiment on that occasion is best shown by Gen. Lee's letter to the Secretary of War, a copy of which was sent to my regiment afterwards, I have, which is as follows:

HEADQUARTERS ARMY OF NORTHERN VIRGINIA, May 16, 1864.

SIR:—Yesterday evening the enemy penetrated a part of our line and planted his colors upon the temporary breastworks erected by our troops. He was immediately repulsed, and among the brave men who met him the Twentieth North Carolina under Col. T. F. Toon, of the brigade commanded by Gen. R. D. Johnston captured his flag. It was brought to me by Maj. Jno. S. Brooks, of that regiment, who received his promotion for gallantry in the battle of Chancellorsville, with the request that it be given to Governor Vance. I take great pleasure in complying with the wish of the gallant captors, and respectfully ask that it be granted, and that these colors be presented to the State of North Carolina as another evidence of the valor and devotion that have made her name eminent in the armies of the Confederacy.

Very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
R. E. LEE, General.

Hon. Secretary of War.
Richmond, Va.

It is just in this connection to witness the daring bravery of Brigadier General Johnston, Lieut. Col. Davis and Maj. Bob Alston, of the Twelfth North Carolina, on that same charge. On the 11th raining, muddy, disagreeable, under ordinary circumstances, but especially so to a soldier with very scanty means of comfort. On the 12th. Aroused before light, precipitated into the battle before we could see; met the successful enemy in the first moments of his temporary triumphs, the first volly we fired the sheet of flames made doubly visible by the darkness and fog, met that of the enemy and lighted up the space between. I can now see George step in the mortal combat, with the color-bearer of one of the advancing regiments. Maj. Jno. S. Brooks leap wildly into the air, grasp his side, and fall while urging the Twentieth North Carolina to the hottest conflict we ever engaged in. We lost no ground, however, but with others of our attacking column regained our breast-works and remained fighting until 9 o'clock at night, when we were withdrawn. Late that evening, Gen. Johnston was wounded. I also received a shot in the leg after it passed through Lieutenant George Bullock's coat sleeve without wounding him. This, however, disabled me only for a few days. Adjutant E. S. Moore was also wounded. On the 19th we advanced against the right of the enemy and had a severe skirmish; fell back to our line that night. Our brigade brought up the rear. My regiment was rear guard. This reconnoisance in force delayed Gen. Grant for two days and was of great benefit to Gen. Lee. On the 20th we moved to Hanover Junction, thence with the army to 2nd Cold Harbor, where we were under artillery fire and some skirmishing. I was assigned command of Johnston's Brigade June 4th. I think about the 15th of June Gen. Early was detached and sent to meet Hunter at Lynchburg. We arrived there on the evening of the 18th, skirmished with the enemy. I never could see why we did not attack the enemy at once. Next day we pursued the enemy to Liberty, Va. Here Bryant White was wounded. In spite of heat and dust almost insupportable the troop marched an expedition against Washington down the Valley, Hunter having left it open by his retreat in the wrong direction. Passing White Sulphar Springs and Natural Bridge without much time to try the health-giving nature of the one and enjoy the beauty and sublimity of the other. July 4th enjoyed the public dinner at Harper's Ferry spread by General Weber for his command and friends. Fought and defeated Gen. Lew Wallace at Monocacy Bridge. This was a hard-fought battle on the field in which we were engaged. Guilford Edwards, one among the best soldiers in the regiment, lost his leg here. This, I think, was on the 9th of July. On the 10th, passed through Rockville, saw the Dome of the Capital, and pushed the skirmish line, capturing soldiers in long dress broadcloth coats. One Yankee prisoner said they were counter jumpers, clerks in the War Office, hospital rats and stragglers. I know one thing, I could have easily taken everything in my front if I had been allowed to continue my advance. Maj. Devane, a gallant spirit, urged me to disregard the order to fall back and rush forward, whatever the consequences might be. I hated to withdraw, but always tried to obey orders. On the night of the 12th, retreated across the Potomac river, bringing the accumulated proceeds of the campaign in horse, beef, cattle, cannon etc. For sometime we destroyed railroads and marched a countermarch. On the 20th of July we had an affair with Averell and Crook, in which we were literally run over. This was near Winchester. I think both retreated from the battlefield. Parts of August and September eating apple butter and doing picket duty, with just enough skirmishing to break the monotony of soldier's life. September 19th fought the battle of Winchester, and in the battle, although Early was defeated, Ramseur's division was not. We held our own until ordered to retreat. Early in the morning the cavalry attacked our pickets. I moved the Twentieth North Carolina to their support. Charge after charge were repulsed. When closely pressed with cavalry on both flanks, I formed into squares, and retreating in this manner prevented capture, until Gen. Wade Hampton came to my rescue by charging in column those on my left and drove them back, enabling me to get my regiment back to the line of battle. I was riding a white pony I captured at Monocacy bridge, which was killed. I asked James E. Kelly, of Company K, to take care of my saddle, bridle and trappings. While he was engaged in taking them off the dying animal a shot entered his shoulder joint and deprived him of his right arm. Notwithstanding this, he heroically discharged the request I made of him and then carried everything, even his gun, to the hospital. I frequently see him, and I must say that there are few better men than Jim Kelly or braver soldiers. October comes with its triumphs and defeat in one day. Cedar Run, Johnston's North Carolina Brigade, was the only body of organized troops that left the field in order, which was kept firing in retreat until we reached a bridge over the creek blocked up by wagons, ambulances, horses and men. In all of the uncertain movements of this army we took part and there were none who more faithfully discharged their duty. The disparity in number between the armies contending, both in infantry and cavalry, was the main cause of the defeat of the Army of the Valley. Gen. Early was not a great commander nor a great general, but brave, headlong and risky. Leaving the valley we were assigned to picket duty on the Roanoke river. We encamped on the premises of Mr. House, and between the hospitalities of his house and that of Mr. Wyatt (I think that is the name) we spent an enjoyable Winter, returned to Hatcher's Run, skirmished and ate shad for a short time. On the 25th of March fought the battle of Hare's Hill. My regiment led the charge on the works. It was a complete surprise, many were killed coming out of their tents by our men using their guns as clubs. Why were we not supported? It was reported to us that as soon as we broke the line Picket's Division would support us. About 9 o'clock we fell back to our lines after capturing a good many prisoners. Adjutant Moore was wounded. Here I fought my last battle being desperately wounded standing on our breast-works rallying our troops to resist an expected attack by the enemy. Dr. Schollfield, of Petersburg, was kind to me. He took me into his own house and my wounds were tenderly dressed by soft hands now clasped in praise on the other shore. I could not invoke God for myself were I not to pray for better for those good people. My regiment remained to the last and when the news of the surrender was promulgated and our skirmishes ordered to halt, Major DeVane said: "I hated to stop just then for I was driving the Yankee skirmish like sheep." On April 9th, at Appomattox, hostilities ceased and the Twentieth Regiment layed down their arms by order of their chieftain—R. E. Lee. We fought not for slavery. Our rights were denied us. Slavery was only one of the many aggravating circumstances which precipitated hostilities. Those who make history ought to interpret their own acts and be considered the best authority as to what is history. The sharp shooters from the regiment deserve especial mention, and acting as a separate command justice requires it. Under Plato Durham, Benj. Robinson, R. A. Smith, Oliver Williams and McQueen Coleman this corps did splendid service, and was the most important arm of the service. Some one belonging to this corps ought to write its history, and here I will couple the name of Fred. D. Bryan with this request, hoping he will do justice to this gallant corps. Mr. Bryan, having passed through all of these scenes of conflict, can recall its history.

Imperfect as this sketch must be, I will close it, acknowledging favors and help from the following soldiers, participants in the services of the Twentieth North Carolina: Rev. Capt. D. K. Bennett, Company G, who has passed over the river since writing me on the subject; Lieut. Oliver Williams, Fair Bluff, N. C., a veteran of the sharp-shooting corps; Fred. D. Bryan, Marion, S. C., the beardless boy, the dauntless hero of the same corps; Edwin S. Moore, Selma, N. C., adjutant of the regiment; Capt. Louis F. Hicks, Faisons, N. C., a quiet, faithful soldier and a good friend; Rev. J. Soles (Thirty-sixth North Carolina), Mount Tabor, N. C.; Jesse J. Pounds, Company G, Hamlet, N. C. His company ought to remember him with gratitude. Out of nearly fifty letters written to some members of each company composing the regiment these are all to which replies have been received.

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Office at Banking House of the Wilmington Savings and Trust Company jan 25 tf

Foreclosure Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE power of sale contained in a certain mortgage made by Daniel Hall and wife, Amanda, to the Hanover Building and Loan Association duly registered on the records of New Hanover County in Book No. 14, pages 463-65, the undersigned will expose for sale to the highest bidder at Public Auction, for cash, on Saturday, the 12th day of October, 1895, at 12 o'clock M., at the front door of the Court House, of the county of New Hanover, in the city of Wilmington, the following described property, to-wit: Beginning in the northern line of Wooster street, 41 feet west of the western line of Third street, runs thence west with said line of Wooster street 41½ feet, thence north parallel with Third street 66 feet, thence east parallel with Wooster street 41½ feet, thence south parallel with Third street 66 feet to the beginning, being part of lot 6, block 60.

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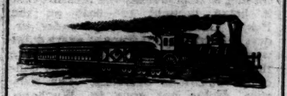

SCHEDULE IN EFFECT SEPT 29, 1895.

DEPARTURE FROM WILMINGTON—NORTHBOUND.

DAILY 9.20 A M — No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 10.56 a m, Warsaw 11.10 a m, Goldsboro 12.05 a m, Wilson 1.00 p m, Rocky Mount 2.33 p m, Tarboro 2.48 p m, Weldon 3.39 p m, Petersburg 5.45 p m, Richmond 6.45 p m, Norfolk 6.00 p m, Washington 11.10 p m, Baltimore 12.53 a m, Philadelphia 3.45 a m, New York 6.55 a m, Boston 3.00 p m.

DAILY 7.00 P M — No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.31 p m, Warsaw 8.45 p m, Goldsboro 9.40 p m, Wilson 10.27 p m, †Tarboro 6.58 a m, Rocky Mount 12.07 p m, Weldon 12.55 a m, †Norfolk 10.35 a m, Petersburg 3.37 a m, Richmond 5.40 a m, Washington 7.00 a m, Baltimore 8.33 a m, Philadelphia 10.46 a m, New York 1.32 p m, Boston 8.30 p m.

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DAILY 3.30 P M — No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.45 p m, Chadburn 5.17 p m, Marion 6.34 p m, Florence 7.05 p m, Atkinson 8.11 p m, Sumter 8.38 p m, Columbia 10.00 p m, Denmark 6.11 a m, Augusta 8.00 a m, Macon 11.00 a m, Atlanta 12.15 p m, Charleston 10.55 p m, Savannah 1.55 a m, Jacksonville 7.55 a m, St. Augustine 10.15 a m, Tampa 6.00 p m.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 5.45 P M — No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston 1.00 p m, New York 9.00 p m, Philadelphia 12.05 a m, Baltimore 2.08 a m, Washington 4.30 a m, Richmond 9.05 a m, Petersburg 10.00 a m, Norfolk 8.40 a m, Weldon 11.55 a m, Tarboro 12.20 p m, Rocky Mount 1.05 p m, Wilson 2.08 p m, Goldsboro 3.10 p m, Warsaw 4.02 p m, Magnolia 4.16 p m.

DAILY 10.00 a m — No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 11.00 p m, New York 9.00 a m, Philadelphia 11.38 a m, Baltimore 2.12 p m, Washington 3.30 p m, Richmond 7.12 p m, Petersburg 7.54 p m, †Norfolk 9.10 p m, Weldon 9.27 p m, †Tarboro 5.59 p m, Rocky Mount 10.20 p m, arrive Wilson 11.08 p m, leave Wilson 6.35 a m, Goldsboro 7.20 a m, Warsaw 8.16 a m, Magnolia 8.30 a m.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 11.50 a m — No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 8.20 a m, Sanford 1.00 p m, Jacksonville 6.20 p m Savannah 12.10 night, Charleston 4.13 a m, Columbia 5.20 a m, Atlanta 7.15 a m, Macon 9.00 a m, Augusta 2.35 p m, Denmark 4.17 p m, Sumter 6.43 a m, Atkinson 7.14 a m, Florence 8.32 a m, Marion 9.06 a m, Chadburn 10.10 a m, Lake Waccamaw 10.39 a m.

†Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.45 p m, Halifax 4.05 p m, arrive Scotland Neck 4.55 p m, Greenville 6.37 p m, Kinston 7 35 p m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7 50 a m, Greenville 8.32 a m, Arriving Halifax at 11 00a m, Weldon 11.20 a m, daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 7.00 a. m., arrive Parmele 8.40 a. m., Tarboro 10; am returning leave Parmele 4 30 p m; Parmele 6.10 p. m. arrives Washington 7.35 p. m. Daily except Sunday. Connects at Parmele with trains on Scotland Neck Branch.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, at 4.50 p m; Sunday 3.00 p m; arrive Plymouth 9 00 p m, 5 25 p m. Returning, leave Plymouth daily except Sunday 6.00 a m, Sunday 9 37 a m; Arrive Tarboro 10 35 a m and 11 55 a m.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 6 05 a m; arrive Smithfield, N. C., 7.30 a m. Returning, leaves Smithfield, N. C.; 8 00 a m; arrive Goldsboro, N. C., 9 30 a m.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 4.30 p m, arrives Nashville 5.05 p m, Spring Hope 5.30 p m. Returning leaves Spring Hope 8 a m, Nashville 8 35 a m; arrive Rocky Mount 9 05 a m, daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leave Warsaw for Clinton Daily except Sunday at 4.10 p m; returning leave Clinton at 7.30 a m.

Trains on South and North Carolina Railroad leave Elliott 11 15 a m and 4 10 p m. Lucknow 12 45 p m, and 5 00 p m; returning leave Lucknow 9 00 a m and 2 00 p m, arrive Elliott 10 30 a m and 3 30 p m. Daily except Sunday.

Florence Railroad leave Pee Dee 8 40 a m, arrive Latta 9.01 a m, Dillon 9 12 a m, Rowland 9 31 a m., returning leaves Rowland 5 00 p m, arrives Dillon 5.18 p m, Latta 5.31 p m, Pee Dee 5.53 p m, daily. Latta Branch trains leave Latta 6 40 p m, arrive Clio 6 55 p m, returning leave Clio 6 10 a m, arrive Latta 7 50 a m. Daily except Sunday.

Wilmington and Conway Railroad, leave Hub at 8.15 a m, Chadbourn 10.30 a m, arrive Conway 12.35 p m, leave Conway 2 30 p m, Chadbourn 5.35 p m, arrive Hub 7.30 p m, Daily except Sunday.

Cheraw and Darlington Railroad leave Florence 7.30 a m, 8.15 a m, 7.35 p m, arrive Darlington 8.06 a m, 8.55 a m, 8.00 p m, Hartsville 8.50 p m, Bennettsville 9 50 p m, Gibson 5 10 p m, Cheraw, S. C., 11.15 a m, Wadesboro 1.10 p m, leave Wadesboro 2.00 p m, Cheraw 3.45 p m, Gibson 9 40 a m, Bennettsville 11 0 a m, Hartsville 6.30 a m, Darlington 6.05 p m, 4.30 p m, 5.25 a m, arrive Florence 8.45 p m, 5 p m, 6 a m. Daily except Sunday.

Central of South Carolina Railroad leave Sumter 5.50 p m, Manning 6.31 p m, arrive Lane's 7 p m, leave Lanes 8.38 a m, Manning 9.15 a m. arrive Sumter 9.44 a m. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lanes 9.30 a m, 7.10 p m, arrive Georgetown 12 m, 8.30 p m, leave Georgetown 7 a m, 5 p m, arrive Lanes 8.35 a m, 5.35 p m. Daily except Sunday.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 2.08 p m, 11.08 p m, arrive Selma 3.55 p m, Smithfield 5.08 p m, Dunn 5.44 p m, Fayetteville 6.30 p m. 12.53 a m, Rowland 6.00 p m, returning leave Rowland 9 31 a m, Fayetteville 10.58 a m, 9.35 p m, Dunn 11.44 a m, Smithfield 12.25 p m, Selma 12.39 p m, arrive Wilson 1.30 p m, 11.25 p m.

Manchester & Augusta Railroad train leaves Darlington †6 05 a m, arrives Sumter †8 30 a m. Leave Sumter †10 a m, arrives Pregnalls †6 40 p m. Leaves Sumter 4 19 a m, arrives Denmark 6 11 a m. Returning leaves Denmark 4 17 p m, arrive Sumter 6 05 p m. Leaves Pregnalls †8 05 a m, arrives Sumter †8 30 p m. Leaves Sumter †9 50 p m, arrives Darlington †12 55 p m. †Daily except Sunday.

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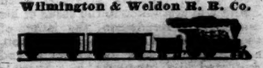

WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 24, 1895.

By instructions of the Board of Directors of the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad Company the Treasurer will pay to all holders of record of this date three and a half per cent interest on the Certificates of Indebtedness of that Company. Interest due and payable October 1st, 1895.

JAS. F. POST, Jr., Treasurer.

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Wilmington Seacoast Railroad

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

ON AND AFTER OCT. 10TH, THE TRAINS on the Wilmington Seacoast Railroad will run as follows:

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Sunday trains leave Princess Street Station at 2.30 and 6 p. m. Leave Ocean View at 10 a m and 5.00 p. m.

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, OCT. 6, 1895

SPOTS AND FUTURES

Total Visible Supply of Cotton—Crop in Sight—New York Sun's Review of the Market.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—The total visible supply of cotton for the world is 2,445,496 bales, of which 2,190,296 are American, against 2,211,588 and 1,844,488, respectively, last year. Receipts of cotton this week at all interior towns 191,669 bales. Receipts from the plantations 268 880 bales. Crop in sight 737,914 bales.

The *Sun* says: Cotton fell eight to nine points, but rallied and closed steady with a net loss for the day of one to two points, with sales of 118,500 bales. Liverpool declined 1-16d. on the spot and two and a half to three points for future delivery, closing steady with spot sales of 8,000 bales. New Orleans declined four points and then recovered half of this. Port receipts 35,261 bales, against 28,886 bales last Saturday and 37,965 bales this day last year. Norfolk advanced 1-16c. and Augusta declined 1-16c. New Orleans sold 2,500 bales, Memphis 2,500 bales and Augusta 1,029 bales. Spot cotton here was easy at 9¼c., showing no quotable change; 269 bales.

To-day's features: Prices receded for a time, owing to a decline in Liverpool, where prices were depressed by a comparatively liberal crop movement in this country as was explained in private cables. Then again Liverpool, the Continent and South, as well as local operators sold rather freely. But on the decline "history repeated itself." That is to say, the market once more encountered a lot of buying orders as it has so often in the past, and the effect was to put prices back to about the closing figures of last night. Local and Southern operators bought and local bears covered to some extent owing to an apprehension that the Bureau report may be very bullish. Another important factor today was the estimate by the State Commissioner of Texas that the crop in that State is only half as large as that of last year. This is considered an extreme view of the case even by many who believe the Texas crop is undoubtedly short, but for all that it had a good deal of influence, and undoubtedly contributed very materially to the rally, which took place before the close. The bears are easily frightened, although they contend that the receipts are likely to be pretty heavy during the month, and may cause not a little depression in prices. Cotton has friends, however, who buy on every break, and who maintain that the bull campaign has not culminated by any means.

GRAIN AND RPOVISIONS.

Wheat, Corn and Oats Declined—Pork and Lard Higher—Ribs Unchanged.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—Chicago is to have larger receipts of wheat from now on. This was the opinion of traders in that grain to-day and it was confirmed by the estimate of 265 cars for Monday. For a week or more it has been understood Armour's agents have been buying freely of the cash stuff in Minneapolis for the purpose of shipping to Chicago. It is now common gossip that other elevator interests have been equally active in the same direction. When the estimate of Monday's receipts was announced the weakness increased in intensity. December wheat opened from 60⅛@60⅜c, sold between 60⅝ and 59½c, closing at 59⅛@59⅝c—⅛@⅝c under yesterday. Cash wheat was strong and ½c per bushel lower.

No indications of interest in corn being aroused developed to day. The dullness was on a par with that of any day yet passed. Prices yielded some in the latter part of the session on the weakness communicated by wheat. The range was very narrow, however, and afforded privilege holders but meagre returns on their investments. May corn opened at 29⅛c, sold at 29⅝c, declined to and closed at 29½c—⅛c under yesterday. Cash corn sold at steady prices with the nominal close easy.

Cash oats were weak and ⅛@⅛c per bushel lower. Receipts were 498 cars. No oats were taken from store. May oats closed ⅛c per bushel lower.

Provisions were as dead as it is possible to imagine. During the first ten minutes of the session only one trade took place and up to the time of the call but five transactions were recorded. Complaints of the inactivity were heard on all sides, traders being disposed to take a gloomy view of the situation. Prices held steady until near the close when they firmed up a little on some bidding meeting with no offerings. The hog market was steady. At the close January pork and January lard were each 5c higher and January ribs unchanged. Domestic markets were quiet and easy.

BANK STATEMENT

Weekly Statement of Associated Banks.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—The weekly statement of the associated banks shows the following changes: Reserve decrease, $5,824,650; loans decrease, $1,174,000; specie decrease, $789,600; legal tenders decrease $7,344,200; deposits decrease, $9,037,900; circulation increase, $151,600 The banks now hold $16,471,525 in excess of legal requirements.

BASE BALL.

Cleveland Beats Baltimore in the Third Game of the Temple Cup Series.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CLEVELAND, OHIO, Oct. 5.—Cleveland administered the most severe drubbing to Baltimore to-day that the Temple Cup series has seen. Young was a complete puzzle to Hannon's men and they faced him like defeated men from the first inning. The only chance the pennant winners had to score was in eighth inning: when they bunched three singles and Keeler crossed the plate.

The Baltimore club leaves for home to-night. The Cleveland's leave for Baltimore Sunday. Although the crowd to-day was the largest that ever attended a ball game in this city, there was no rowdyism, and the Baltimore players got as fair treatment as the Cleveland men. The reports that Baltimore players were assaulted at the first two games are absolutely untrue. Score: Cleveland, 7; Baltimore, 1.

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston, 300 strong, left Boston at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon to celebrate its 25th anniversary at Richmond, Va.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, October 5.—Spirits turpentine quiet and steady at 28@28½c. Rosin dull; strained common to good $1 47½@1 52½.

CHARLESTON, October 5.—Spirits turpentine firm at 25½c; receipts 25 casks. Rosin firm; good strained $1 20@1 25; receipts 168 barrels.

SAVANNAH, October 5.—Spirits turpentine firm at 25½c for regulars; sales of 1,000 casks; receipts 750 casks. Rosin firm and unchanged; no sales reported.

LATE FOREIGN NEWS.

TROUBLE BETWEEN GREAT BRITAIN AND CHINA.

British War Ships Still in Chinese Waters—Vice Admiral Buller's Mission—England Determined to Expand Her Trade and Other Interests in China—Sir Julian Pauncefate—A Corner in Beet Sugar—Anarchy in the Island of Creto—Chinese Authorities Contesting the Inquiry into the Massacre of Missionaries.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—Though the Foreign Office professes to be satisfied with the full and prompt acceptance by the Pekin Government of the ultimatum forwarded to it by the British Government, demanding the degradation of Liu Ping Chang, Viceroy of Szechuen, for his connection with the Szechuen riots, the trouble growing out of the overt hostility of the Chinese to British subjects is not over. The movements of the British squadron in the Yang Tse Kiang show that the tension in the relations between Great Britain and China has hardly been lessened by the punishment of Liu Ping Chang. Vice Admiral Buller, instead of ceasing to demonstrate the pressure that is being brought to bear on the Pekin Government, keeps under orders the British war ships at every point where they were stationed before the Tsung Li Yamen apparently conceded the British demands. The warship Æolus has gone to Wuchang, where Vice Admiral Buller is charged to present to Chang Cheh Tung, the Viceroy, the demands relative to the inquiry into the Kucheng massacre. Chang Cheng Tung is a notorious hater of foreigners, and Wuchang is the center of the production of the pamphlets and placards inciting the populace to the murder of Europeans. No overt act of hostility that would justify Great Britain in demanding his dismissal from office can be traced to him, dispite his known antipathy to foreigners. The exact nature of the demands that will be presented to him has not transpired. A strong feature of Vice Admiral Buller's mission is that he is directed to deliver the British dispatches directly to Chang Cheh Tung, insterd of negotiating through Pekin. It is expected by the Foreign Office that the Viceroy will concede the demand.

Prime Minister Salisbury has directed Sir Nicholas O'Connor, the British Minister to China, to expedite his return to London. Sir Nicholas will go to St. Petersburg as Ambassador in room of Sir F. C. Lascelles. He will be in London in November, when a new Minister to China will be appointed.

It is evident that Great Britain is determined to conserve and expand her trade and other interests in China. In order to effect this end there will be important channges made in the duties of the Legation at Pekin. Besides the Secretary of the Legation a special attache will be obliged to make an annual tour of the treaty ports. The Secretary will visit the chief consulates and the British attache will receive the British residents, learning their grievances and watching the course of trade. As Sir Nicholas O'Connor suggested these changes, nothing will be done in the matter until Lord Salisbury personally confers with Sir Nicholas.

It is rumored in diplomatic circles that Sir Julian Pauncefote, British Ambassador to the United States, will succeed Lord Dufferin, as Ambassador to France. Sir Julian's prererence for Washington over some of the better paid European posts is not concealed, but if he should be offered the blue ribbon of the British diplomatic service, he would, it is said, be certain to accept it.

Inquiries made in Mincing Lane today, elicited the information that France is now practically out of the sugar market, exporting little or no sugar. This is due, it is said, to a "corner" in beet sugar. The absence of the French product has had a sympathetic action on the markets, and has been a factor in raising the price to eleven shillings per hundred weight, an advance of 1s and 6d within a few weeks. A larger "corner" than that of the French syndicate was, it is supposed, recently attempted. A great insurance company of London was approached with a proposition that it insure sugar in different parts of the world to the value of 1,000,000 pounds. This company canvassed other companies with a view to getting them to cover part of the risk. Inquiry, however, rendered doubtful what quantities of sugar had been actually purchased, and a question arose as to whether speculators meant to operate on this insurance. The proposal, therefore, fell through, but it caused much talk in the sugar market.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—A dispatch to the *Central News* from Athens says that anarchy prevails throughout the island of Crete and murders are frequent. The Governor of the island has forwarded his resignation to Constantinople. The Cretans have submitted a statement of their grievances to the representatives of the powers, the Grecian Consul at Canea having informed a Cretan delegation that Greece was nnable to intervene in their behalf.

SHANGHAI, October 5.—The Chinese authorities are contesting every point of the inquiry of the massacre of the Christians at Kucheng. They maintain that the seven executions of natives that have already taken place have amply avenged the murder of the missionaries and members of their families.

The British Vice Consul has started for Foo Chow. He will go to Pekin with dispatches to Sir Nicholas O'Connor, explaining the hopeless situstion and the futility of continuing the farce of inquiring into the massacre.

A HORRIBLE CRIME

And Its Fearful Punishment—The Lynching of a Negro Ravisher.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., Oct. 5.—The predicted lynching of Neal Smith, the negro convict who assaulted Maggie Henderson at Cole City, took place at 8 o'clock last night. Two hundred and fifty armed and undistinguished men went to the stockade and demanded the culprit. The guards refused. The mob covered them with Winchesters, resistance was useless: and they gave him up. The mob took Smith to the place of his crime shot him to death. An eye-witness of the lynching says that when Smith was first taken to the scene of his crime, W. A. Henderson, the father of the outraged girl, who headed the mob, cut off Smith's ears for souvenirs, and mutilated him otherwise in a horrible manner, and then, while the negro's hands were held on a piece of railroad iron, his fingers were smashed, joint by joint, with a blacksmith's hammer until the hands were shapeless masses of flesh and bone. The screams of the negro and the sight of so much blood frenzied the mob and they emptied their pistols and winchesters into Smith's body. They then threw his remains in a brush heap, fired it and piled on fuel until all was consumed, even to the larger bones.

Miss Henderson when assaulted fought desperately and had the left index finger bitten off at the second joint, the pelvic bone cut horribly, her skull fractured and one eye gouged out. She is still alive, but there is no hope of recovery. Strong feeling against negroes generally prevails.

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EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.

Appointments Announced—Report of Committee on New Dioceses.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MINNEAPOLIS, October 5.—When the House of Deputies of the Episcopal Convention commenced its fourth day's session this morning, Dr. Morgan Dix, as chairman, announced the appointment of Rev. Dr. Stone of Chicago, Brewster of Long Island, Lawrence of Massachusetts and Fairbanks of Florida, a committee to fill vacancies on the Committee on Church Unity.

Rev. Dr. Glassbrock renewed the resolution which was defeated last night, that the House suspend business for the day to attend the mass meeting at the Lyceum Theatre. For this meeting it is understoood that ex-Secretary of State Foster had come from Washington by invitation of some of the Bishops and that the arrangements for the gathering had been made by a joint local and convention meeting.

Rev. Dr. Nichols, of Minnesota, said that there had been no understanding that the House would adjourn and when a division had been challenged so large a majority voted against adjournment that the ayes were not counted. Some of the leading delegates explained afterwards that no slight to the ex-Secretary was intended, but so much business was on hand that every hour was valuable.

The committee on new dioceses reported in favor the division of the diocese of California, Maryland and Kentucky and the creation of new sees, and the report was adopted. This action now goes to the House of Bishops for its consideration.

Dr. Ward, of Kentucky, made a plea for the holding of the next convention at Louisville and it was referred to the appropriate committee.

RAILROAD COLLISION.

An Engineer Killed and a Postal Clerk Badly Injured.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ATLANTA, GA., Oct. 5.—Alex. Atkins, an engineer on the Atlanta and West Point Railway was killed in a collision this morning one mile below Red Oak. Atkins was engineer on the New York and New Orleans fast mail, which left here at 6 o'clock this morning, 15 minutes late. At that point he received orders to pass a northbound passenger train at Red Oak. Instead of stopping at the station he ran through at forty miles an hour. Conductor Law signalled the engineer to stop, but Atkins paid no attention to the bell. Then Law ran through the train and threw a piece of coal over the tender to attract the engineer's attention. Still Atkins kept on. Law, who had signed the orders at East Point, then cut the cars loose from the tender. The engineer sped on and two hundred yards further crashed into the approaching local train. The automatic brakes on the fast mail stopped the detached train and the passengers escaped. Engineer McDade, of the north-bound train, reversed his engine and jumped. His fireman and the fireman on the south bound train also jumped. Atkins stuck to his engine and was terribly crushed. He was not unconscious at first though and begged the train men who went to work to rescue him to give him something to relieve his agony. He died three hours later. A postal clerk named Boyd, on the north bound train was badly injured but will recover. It is presumed that Atkins got mixed on his orders as he had first received his instructions to pass the north-bound train several miles below Red Oak.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

Treasury Gold Reserve—Battleship Texas—Advices From Constantinople.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—The Treasury gold reserve to-day is $93,006,886 a gain over yesterday of $308,097. The gain was made entirely at Western and Southern points.

A telegram was received at the Navy Department to-day from Hampton Roads stating that the battleship Texas had returned from a two-days' sea run, taken to "shake her down" and put her in a condition for the official trial. During the run her machinery worked well, the only defect worthy of note being the heating of an eccentric strap. On her return, the strap was sent to the Norfolk Navy yard for alterations. As soon as it is replaced she will take another run preliminary to her official trip.

The Secretary of State last evening received the followiug cable from U. S. Minister Terrell, dated Therapin, a suburb of Constantinople:

"There has been tranquility for the last forty-eight hours. Kiamil Pasha was appointed Grand Vizier. Dreadiug the influence of recent events in distant provinces I have renewed my demand for efficient protection of missionaries."

TO FIGHT TAMMANY.

A Committee Appointed by the New York Chamber of Commerce for the Fall Campaign.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, October 5.—The Committee on Municipal Reform of the Chamber of Commerce met at noon to-day at the Chamber of Commerce, and practically began the work of the Fall campaign by appointing the committees to conduct the various ends of the fight against Tammany Hall. J. Harsen Rhodes was chairman. Mr. Rhodes said that so far as the Chamber of Commerce was concerned the campaign work of that body had ended in gathering together the various anti-Tammany organizations for a united front to a common enemy, and now the remainder of the work will be done by the Committee on municipal reform, and the gentlemen called to cooperate with them. The State Democracy was represented at the meeting by Charles S. Fairchild, and the good government people by Robert Fulton Cutting.

NEGRO LYNCHED

For Brutal Assault on a White Woman

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CINCINNATI, October 5.—The *Post* says: Tobe McGrady, colored, assaulted Mrs. Gus Berry, near Perote yesterday, choking her and leaving her unconscious in the road. Deputy Sheriff Chauncey captured McGrady last night, and was bringing him to jail here, when he was met by a mob. McGrady sprang from the deputy's buggy and fled to the woods. The mob fired twenty shots at him, riddling him with bullets.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Will Gain Control of the Georgia Centra System.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., October 5.—The Savannah and Western Railway was sold here at special master's sale to-day for $1,500,000, and was bid in by the committee for the bondholders of the Savannah and Western. The Savannah and Western is to go into the organization scheme of the Central of Georgia, which is to be sold at Savannah next Monday.

The Southern Railway, it ir understood, will gain control of the Central System when it is sold.

A dispatch from Rio De Janeiro says that Great Britain, France and Italy have decided upon a plan of combined action with a view of [illegible] tion of their respective claims in Brazil.

STEAMER COMMODORE.

FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS FROM ATTORNEY GENERAL HARMON

To Release the Vessel But Hold the Arms and Ammunition—Mr. G. G. French's Visit to Raleigh—Seaboard Air Line—The Drought—Cotton Market—Buffalo Bill's Show—State University.

[*Star Correspondence.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., Oct. 5.

The delay of the Southern Railway train from the West for the past ten days has caused serious inconvenience to parties desiring to reach Wilmington. While the new schedule will not prove popular, a change which insures connection will be hailed with delight.

Marshal Carroll this morning received further instructions by telegraph from Attorney General Harmon, at Washington, in regard to the *Commodore* matter. The instructions were brief. They stated that Mr. Carroll's letter setting forth the entire matter had been received and requested him to release the vessel, but hold arms and ammunition if practicable. Accordingly Marshal Carroll sent Mr. Bunting, his deputy at Wilmington, the instructions received. He also advised the Attorney General of his action. The *Commodore* will be at liberty. Just why the arms and ammunition are to be held and the vessel is not, is not exactly known. Further light on the subject will probably be received by mail.

Mr. G. Z. French visited Raleigh on what was said to be a short business trip. It is reliably stated he came up to inflate the Russell Gubernatorial boom. Russell is being kicked by the negroes over the State on account of what he has said about them. One of the objects of Mr. French's visit here, it is stated, was to "spot" Jim Young, the arch Fusionist and negro leader who edits the *Gazette*. Jim is smart and has a powerful influence. It would be a big feather in Russell's cap if he had Jim.

To-night a special train will pass by here over the Seaboard from Bethlehem, Penn. The train will have aboard 200 Chiefs of Fire Departments, who are on their way to the annual meeting in Augusta, Ga.

There are already 350 students at the Normal School in Greensboro. President McIver expects as many as can be accommodated in the next few weeks.

At the Morganton Deaf and Dumb Institution there are 180 students. About 190 can be accommodated and fully this number have applied for a division.

Sells' circus is pronounced one of the best, by those who saw it in Greensboro. The menagerie is the best ever in the State.

Kitty Hawks, a Raleigh horse four years old, won the prettiest race at the Lynchburg fair in the time of 2:29¼. The race was nearly even for two heats. This is Kitty's first race.

Mr. J. C. Caddell, of the *Biblical Recorder*, is just from the Green River Association, near Rutherfordton. He says the drought is worse there than at any place he has yet seen. Trees are dying fast. Even the large oaks are being thinned out. It is noticeable that trees suffer worse in a clay than a sandy country from the effects of the drought. It has not rained in Rutherfordton since August.

A prominent gentleman said to-day that cotton would hold a stiff price for the next three years. He said it would take that long with good crops to reach the surplus which was lost on account of the drought. Cotton declined a few points this morning, but recovered and New York advanced steadily in face of a foreign decline. There were about 30 bales here to-day. Many people have made money in this city lately. The bulls had a bad time along the first of the week. One gentleman lost two thousand.

Supt. Leazer has gone to Halifax.

The increase in the traffic of the Seaboard Air Line is noteworthy just now. It is a remarkable fact, but No. 21 from the South passed here in seven sections yesterday morning. Night before last a freight from the North passed here in five sections. The Seaboard's business is on a boom. They are utilizing all their available cars.

The vestibule is carrying more people to the show at Atlanta. Extra sleepers have been attached nearly every night this week.

Secretary Nichols has booked many attractions for the Midway. Buncoers and gamblers will be kept on the outside.

The new schedule on the Southern goes into effect to-morrow,

When Senator Butler purchased the *Caucasian* several years ago it had on its subscription list 800 names, and of this number one alone was paid up. Now the paper claims 20,000 circulation, and is quite a valuable piece of property.

Clerk Satterfield says that was only an informal gathering at the Park Hotel in Senator Pritchard's room. All Mr. Satterfield would state in regard to what was done is "that he held a good hand."

It is said that the Stewart Bros, of Winston have had a good deal of work done in Richmond of late.

The Government report will appear on the tenth proximo, and will have a great effect on the cotton market. One way or the other there is much speculation as to what it will say.

Mr. Will Wynne, Raleigh's well known athlete, has been in the New England States doing fancy riding. Mr. Wynne's performances on the bicycle are spoken of in the most elaborate terms in Boston and other Northern papers. Mr. Wynne's trick riding is spoken of as marvellous.

Buffalo Bill's show comes here direct from Norfolk. It takes two trains to transport the enormous caravan.

Mr. W. T. Chandler has received letters from parties in Nebraska in the past few days stating that they will move here in December.

The Western people are looking to the Southern States with its luxuriant climate. North Carolina is attracting as much if not more than the other Southern States.

On October 12 University day will be celebrated at Chapel Hill. The day is a holiday and exercises are held. Mr. Josephus Daniels will deliver the address. Friday evening the University German Club gives its October dance. Raleigh will be represented by several young ladies.

Governor Carr has returned from his trip east.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

District Attorney Aycock and Marshal Carroll leave for Wilmington to-morrow on business in regard to the *Commodore* matter.

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Scott's Hill circuit, Union, Sept 28th and 29th.
Wilmington, Grace church, Oct 6th and 7th.
Wilmington, Market Street church, night, Oct 6th.
Wilmington, Fifth Street church, Oct 13th and 14th.
Onslow mission, Verona, Oct 17th.
Onslow circuit, Queen's Creek, Oct 19th and 20th.
Elizabeth circuit, Elizabethtown, Oct 26th and 27th.
Columbus circuit, Cerro Gordo, Nov 2.
Whiteville and Fair Bluff, Fair Bluff, Nov 3d and 3d.
Kenansville circuit, Charity, Nov 9th and 10th.
Elizabeth circuit, Providence, Nov 10th and 11th.
Canon Creek circuit, Shiloh, Nov 16th and 17th.
Waccamaw circuit, Old Dock, Nov 19th.
Brunswick circuit, Macedonia, Nov 23rd and 24th.
Southport Station, night, Nov 24th.
Clinton circuit, Clinton, Nov 30th and Dec 1st.
Bladen circuit, Windsor, Dec 7th and 8th.
Wilmington, Bladen Street, night, Dec 8th.

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Means just what it says. We can afford to do it. Our great manufacturing facilities, our wholesale business, the small expense of our retail department notwithstanding the large volume of business put us in position to sell at close margins.

THE PRICES TELL THE STORY.

$7.50 all Wool Black Clay Dress Suits, Sack and Cutaway.

$5 and $6 splendid Dress Business Suits, neat patterns, Plaids, Checks, etc. Impossible to retail Clothiers, under $10.

$7.50 every possible pattern, easily worth $10 to $12.

$10—Such Suits as you are accustomed to paying $15 for.

$12 and $15 the highest pinacle of the Tailor's art Foreign and Domestic Worsteds.

Black and Blue Cheviots $5, $6, $7.50, $10, $12.

BOYS' SUITS $2, $2.50, $3, $3.50.

Save the Retailer's Profit.

A. DAVID & Co.,

Front and Princess Streets.

sep 29 tf

WHEN AUTUMN COMES

NEW STYLES

Come with it, and every man in town with any Idea of Dress comes to us for styles as a matter of course.

The best ready-made Suits is only a travesty of correctness. It isn't even a clever masquerade. Banish all Ready-made misfits from your wardrobe, and get something

Stylish and Handsome

produced to order and faultless in fit and correct in every detail of workmanship.

We Fit Our Customers,

That's our rule, and it stands like rock bottom.

The belated Summer Suits has now no place in the wear of the gentleman of style, who if not already provided for the Fall makes no delay.

We are making up Suits to order from $11.25 and up.

Pants made to order for $3.00. And before you condemn our goods come and look and compare them with others.

C. E. GORDON,

Northeast Cor. Front and Market St.

sep 22 tf

A War is Imminent in the South.

A Royal Feast the Bakers had,
And toasts were spoken faster, louder,
Till all by one consent hurrahed
For Dozier & Lee's Baking Powder.

"P. Cox" spread his spangled tail
"Good-luck" his horse shoe hung on high,
"One Spoon" dipped in his little pail,
While "Sea-Foam's praise was sung too high,
Old "Horseford" trotted in his horse,
"Patapsco" tapped his big drum louder,
While "Royal" bad to bow, of course,
To Dozier & Lee's Baking Powder.

Sold at wholesale by Dozier & Lee, and by the retail trade generally. Weight one pound, and quality guaranteed, and a silver spoon given away with each box for 10 cents.

Hey diddle, diddle, the cat and the fiddle,
The cow jumped over the moon,
And while in the air, a notion quite queer,
Occurred to her cowship, and soon,
While she was descending, the eagle ascending,
His feathers a shining like silk,
She said Mr. Bird, who has ever heard
Of an eagle bird giving good milk?
Upon him she pounced, his eagle-ship flounced,
But she kicked the poor bird without mercy,
And made him admit that he hadn't the grit
To keep up a fight with the Jersey.

Jersey Milk beats Eagle Brand and is sold for just one half the price by Dozier & Lee. Try it and if not satisfied return it and get your money back. 10c per can. aug 18 tf

New River Oysters.

JUST RECEIVED AND SERVED IN ANY style at reduced prices at Atlantic Inn.

GIESCHEN BRO'S,
sept 28 1w Proprietors.